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MR. SEAN LESTER'S NEW POST

High Commissioner of Danzig

London, Oct. 26. The Council of the League of Nations have appointed the Irish delegate to the League of Nations, Mr. Sean Lester, to be High Commissioner of Danzig.—British Wireless.

WILD WEATHER

CLIFF COLLAPSE AT LOWESTOFT

NORTH SEA AT ITS WORST

London, Oct. 26. The wildest weather of the year was experienced during last night and throughout the whole of the day in the North Sea and along England's East Coast. A terrific gale blew steadily, accompanied by high, heavy rains, thunder and lightning.

Winds of over seventy miles an hour were recorded at many places, while an abnormally high tide was accompanied by heavy seas, battering the coastline and sweeping across the esplanades at Lowestoft, Yarmouth and Scarborough.

Hundreds watched the fury of the storm from the seafront.

A large fall of cliffs occurred near Lowestoft in the course of today, doubtless the result of the heavy pounding to which the base had been submitted during the gale.

The North Sea steamer services were subjected to considerable delay, services serving Holland experiencing dangerously rough passages.—British Wireless.

EXPERT VIEW OF REICHSTAG FIRE

Van der Lubbe Could Not Have Been Alone

Berlin, Oct. 23.

"It was absolutely out of the question for Van Der Lubbe to have got fire to the Reichstag alone." This was the considered opinion of Professor Josse, who gave evidence in the Reichstag fire trial to-day.

Professor Josse, who is an expert on such matters and who gave evidence as such, declared that at least 40 lb. of liquid must have been used to fire the Reichstag hall alone. He said that Van Der Lubbe had insufficient time to set it alight and that it needed two or more persons.

The Professor believed that the fire started in the stenographers' room and he advanced the theory that the extraordinary rapid spread of the flames could only be explained if material soaked in petrol had been scattered about. He declared that the firelighters, as alleged, to have been used by Lubbe, were insufficient.—Reuter.

FIGHTING EXTENDS

IMMEDIATE MENACE TO BANGKOK GONE

PREMIER'S WIFE MAKES OFFER

Bangkok, Oct. 26. Fighting between Government forces and the insurgents under Prince Bovaradej appears to be extending in scale and preparations are being made for what may prove to be a long campaign.

It is quite evident that early reports of the suppression of the rebellion were distinctly premature and that while the menace to Bangkok has been removed for the moment, the situation is still serious.

This is reflected in the offer of the wife of the Premier, Phya Bahol, to employ the services of the Women's Party for defence purposes.

BEHIND THE LINES

The Prime Minister has accepted the offer with the proviso that the women's work shall be confined to the rear of the fighting line, their principal task being to help in feeding the troops.

Little news of the progress of the fighting is reaching Bangkok. Strict censorship is being exercised and the official communiques give few hints of importance.

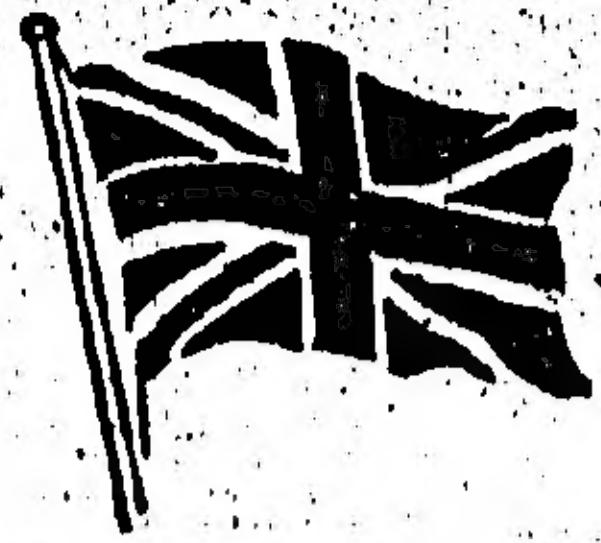
There have been rumours again that the King of Siam has fled, but it is officially stated that he is still in residence at Singora.—Reuter.

ACTIVE STOCK MARKETS

DAY FINISHES ON VERY STRONG TONE

London, Oct. 26. The Stock Markets were very strong and active during the day, although some profit taking occurred at the close.

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NAVY DAY

(Saturday, October 28)

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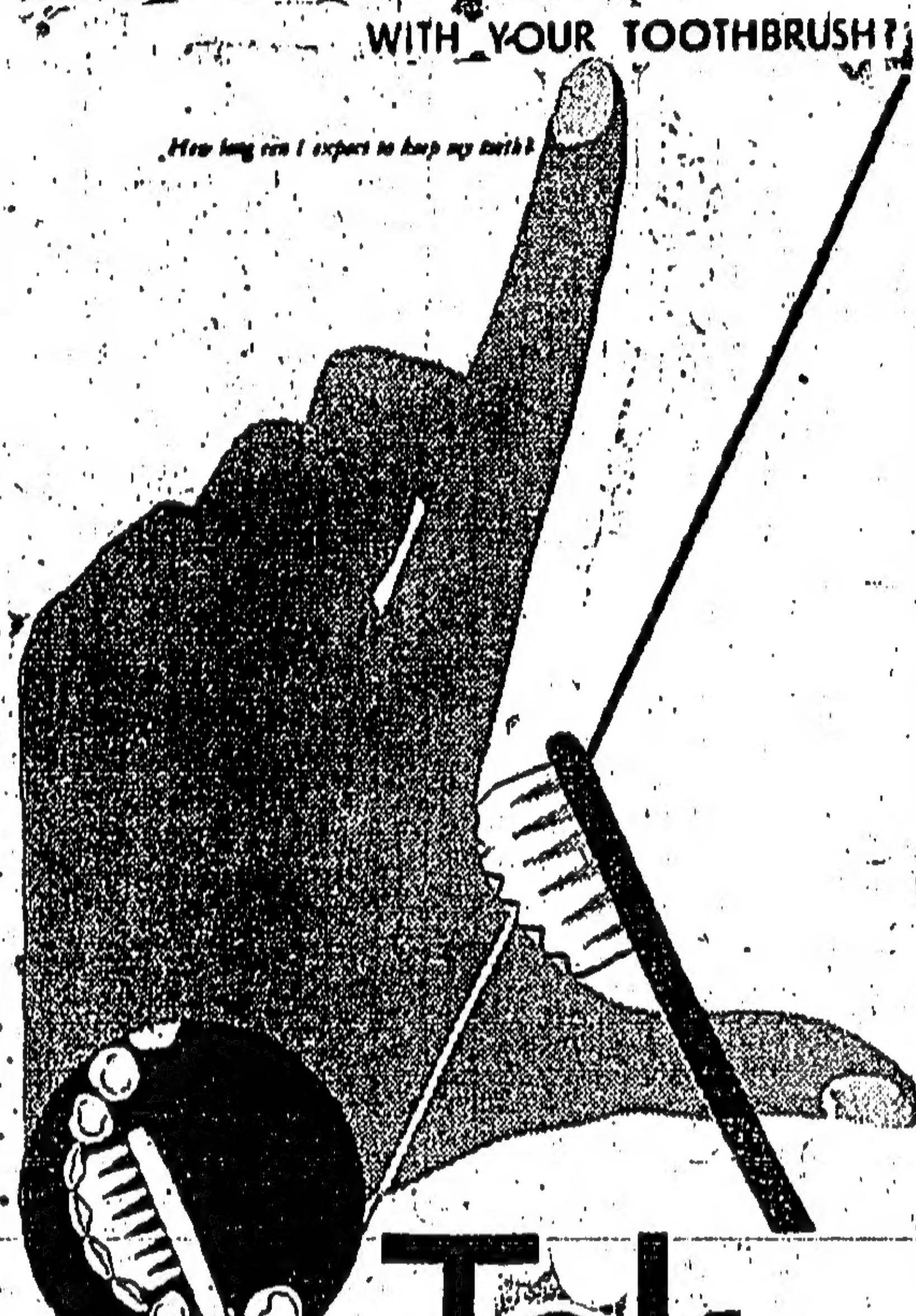
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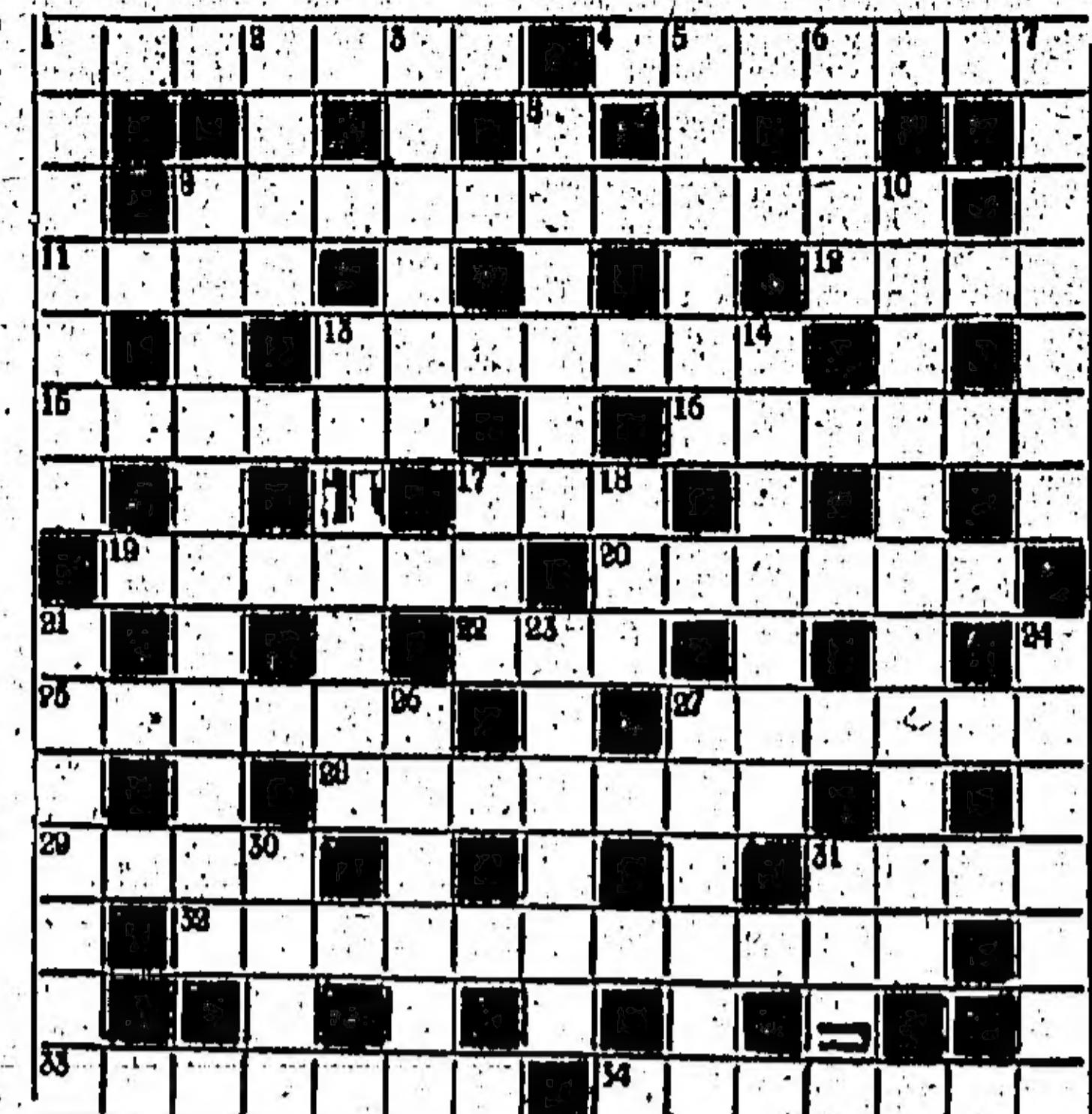
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- An honour.
- Hold up in two senses.
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- Honey up (anagram).
- Spells of war?
- Bill's best word.
- Presumption, but there's nothing cheeky about it.
- Loving a party ends it.
- Resemblance is of likenesses.

Down

- Increase in English, or in German territory.
- Monster not really English, therefore upside down.
- You, as you perused to-day's leaders.
- Parts of the body that start all wrong, but end with some intelligence.
- Attention.
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SYNOPSIS.

Leonard Sefton, visiting Gravesend, discovers the hotel's possible secret and over the disappearance of the proprietor of the Mermaid Hotel. The story of the missing man's daughter, Jessica Pyne, intrigues him and he decides to stay till the mystery has been solved. A mysterious stranger is known to have visited the hotel, and to have spoken to a servant named Luigi. It is found dead at the foot of the cliff. When assistance is brought, however, the body is not found, but a story of the finding of the body is confirmed by tracks leading from the hotel. Luigi denies having seen him. Later on, playing a hunch, Sefton decides to visit a hotel guest, Installs, an accompanying him. When on board they are started by a strange cry.

Sefton hears sounds of breathing behind closed door aboard, but says nothing to Harry for fear of alarming her, and takes her back to the hotel. There when he decided to question Luigi again, it is discovered that the Italian had disappeared. The two are now obliged to call in the police, but he thinks otherwise. While they are talking, they hear a cry from the beach.

CHAPTER X

"The Contents of a Shed".

At first he could distinguish nothing, for the tangled tree trunks and the bunches of stubble made confusing black patches in the fading light, but soon he noticed that one of the black patches was swinging and at first, and was of human, not vegetable, origin.

"Do you see anything?" asked Jessica's anxious voice, over his shoulder.

"Yes, I do," he replied. "Somebody's down there."

The cry rose again, and this time it was unmistakable.

"Elp!" yelled the swaying black patch. "Oif! Elp!"

"Good Lord, it's Jim!" exclaimed Leonard. Making a cup with his hands, he called back, softly but reasonably;

"All right, Jim! Hold on! I'm coming."

A faintgulp responded.

"Mr. Sefton—be carefull!" gasped Jessica, as Leonard began to lower himself over the edge. "If—

"If anything happened to you—"

"It won't," he assured her. "I've spent three holidays in Switzerland, and this won't worry me. Don't be alarmed."

She longed to stay and watch the descent, feeling that the moment she took her eyes off him he would fall, but instead she turned and ran to the shed, which was only about twenty yards off. Reaching the shed, she seized a coil of rope from a stout hook, and returning to the lily-pond she made one end fast round the trunk of a tree. Then she hastened to the edge again, and looked over, her heart sick with fear. But a little cry of gladness escaped her as she saw that Leonard was climbing down carefully and steadily, while the little black patch was still swinging and swaying below him.

"Mr. Sefton!" she called.

"Yes?" he called back.

"I've got a rope. One end's tied to a tree. I'm going to throw the other end down."

"Well done! But wait a second—Now!"

She threw the rope, and he caught it.

"Well done!" he said, again.

"I'll have that boy safe in a jiffy."

Jim was not far below. He was, as a matter of fact, only a third of the way down the cliff, but when Leonard reached him he found that the boy was hanging over a jutting branch at a spot where the sea was almost immediately beneath him, swaying violently.

A minute went by, for the regaining of breath. Then Leonard turned to Jim and said:

"Now tell us how you got into that most extraordinary position! Did you fall over, Jim—or what?"

"It was the note-book, sir," replied Jim. "Yes sir, I tracked it."

"What—you tracked it to the cliff?" exclaimed Leonard.

"Yes sir. It was like this. When I leaves yer I see 'Loofy's took it. That's wot it is, 'Loofy.' Cos 'e saw me writhin' in it yesterday, and 'e wanted to 'ave a look, but I ses, 'No, 'Loofy, it's privit, and 'e gets cross. So it was a easy bet 'e'd slipped it from my pocket, so I goes to find 'in, but I wan't nowhere, so I ses to meself, 'Orl right, 'Loofy, yours is size seven, so I'll 'ave you. And I tracks 'is steps from the back door and along the path wot comes 'ere, but I loses 'em on the grass, but I ses 'em again along another path and tracks 'em to the shed. But 'e ain't there, and I comes back here again, and lookin' over the edge there's

him to behave rationally at all."

"I comes down arter it, yer see," bubbled Jim.

"I'm sure you did," replied Leonard; "but we'll talk about that later. Now just cling on to me until we reach that rope that's hanging above us. See it? Good. Stay, now!"

They reached the rope, and Leonard tied it round the boy's body. Then, by careful stages, they ascended to the top, finally assisted over the edge by eager hands.

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"But why should he throw it down the cliff?"

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"I see. And after the spite, right?"

"Well—'e seems to 'ave mde 'isself scarce, ain't 'e?"

"Oh, I dare say he'll soon come back again," remarked Leonard, lightly.

"Meanwhile, don't worry, Jim. My advice to you is to take it easy for a bit—you've had a bit of a shaking—and then to go on with your work."

"Yes sir," said Jim, and rose to his feet. He was a trifle unsteady,

but he managed to draw himself up to his full height—which was not much—as he added, "I did find

Jim paused for breath, and Jessie asked, after a glance at Leonard:

"Do you mean, Jim, that your book was lying down the cliff?"

"Yes, miss," answered Jim, "I sees it there. And I climbs down arter it, but I slips, and just as I'm boppin' down to pick it up, I slips again, and the book goes into the sea, and golly I thort I was goin' in arter it."

"Then I comes along, and—and that's ori!"

"Quite enough, too, I think," commented Leonard. "So your note-book is now in the sea, eh?"

"Yes sir," answered Jim, in depressed tones.

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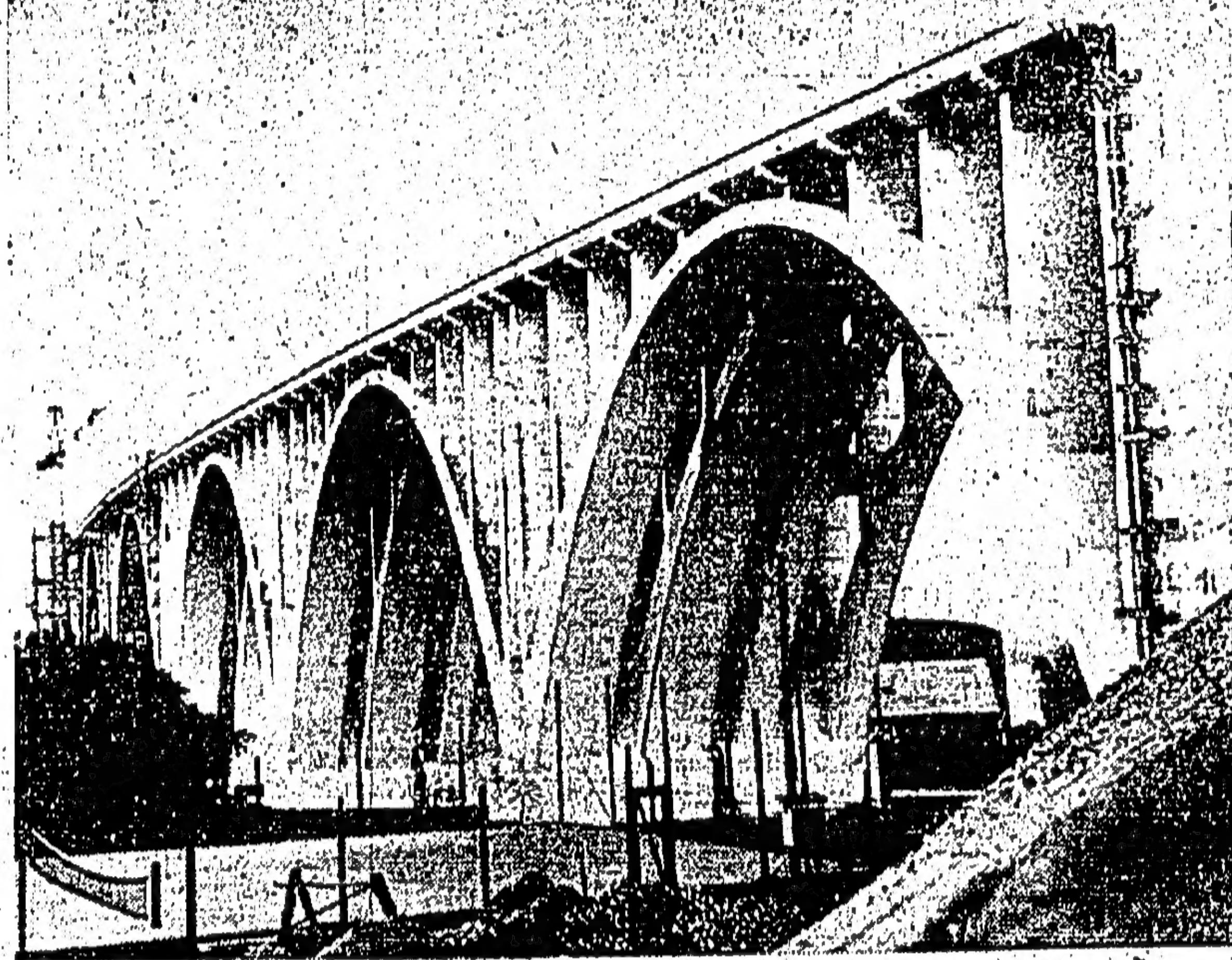
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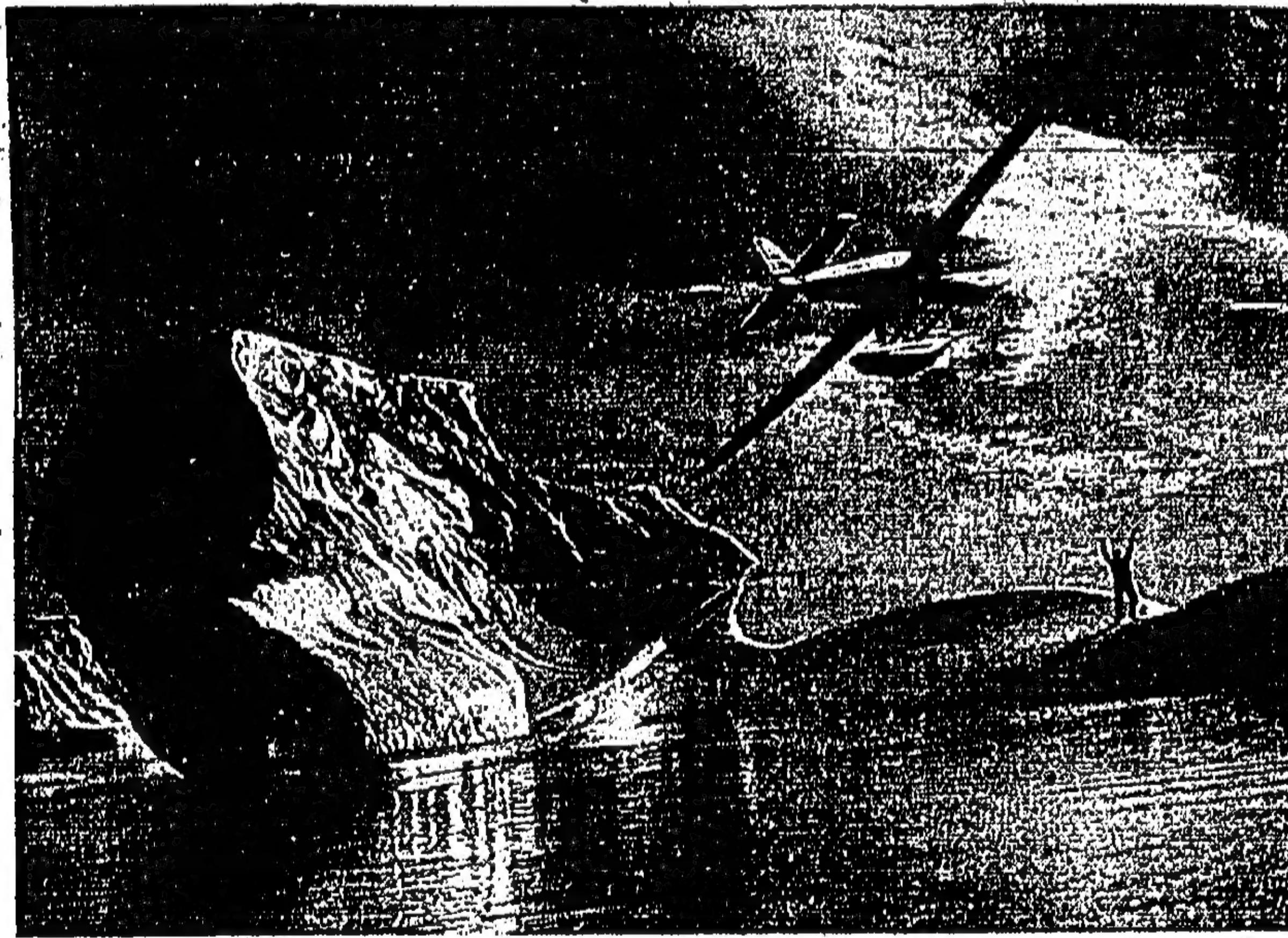
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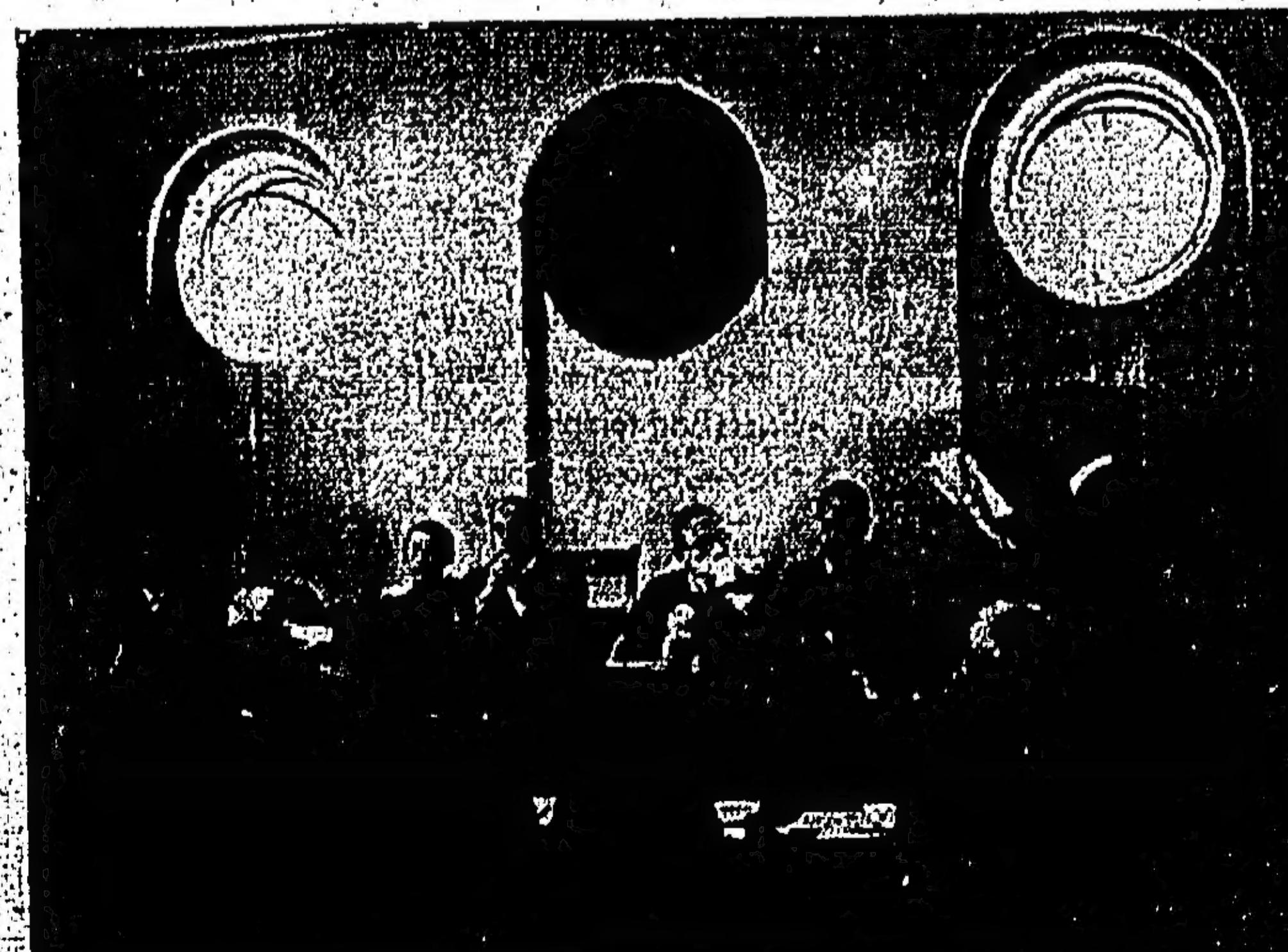
STRIKE RIOTS.—Our picture shows clothes being torn from the back of a garment worker in the fierce clash at St. Louis, America, between strikers and strikebreakers as the latter were leaving their works. A policeman is seen coming to the rescue. (Pressens Illustrations Bureau).



The work of constructing the largest bridge in Europe, over the River Lillebælt, Denmark, is progressing rapidly. This photograph shows a section of the bridge which has been completed. (Planet News).



THE ICELAND'S BEAUTY.—The much disputed film about Greenland "S. O. S. Iceberg" turned by the German stage manager with assistance of the Danish Greenland explorer Knud Rasmussen will soon have its first performance in Sweden. The film includes many wonderful pictures from the eternal ice regions. The above picture gives an idea of it. (Pressens Illustrations Bureau).



WITH FULL SPEED.—Mr. Reggie Brown from Los Angeles amuses himself by rushing with his speedboat through an improvised brick wall on the Los Angeles Motorboat speedway. The photo shows Mr. Brown demolishing with his speedboat the brick wall. (Pressens Illustrations Bureau).



REICHSTAG FIRE INQUIRY.—Two pictures of the Reichstag Fire Inquiry composed of a Legal Commission which met in London. On the left is a general view showing the members of the Court, reading from left to right—Dr. Branting of Sweden, Mr. Edward Garfield Hays of U.S.A., Dr. Bakker-Nord of Holland, the only woman member Mr. D. N. Pritt, K.C.C., of England, Mr. Vald-Huyl of Denmark and M. Verly of Belgium. On the right the picture shows Sir Stafford Cripps K.C., in the chair, as the known facts about the fire are read out. (Planet News).

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

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THE THEATRES

"Sailor's Luck," the new Fox film, opening at the King's Theatre to-day, James Dunn and Sally Eilers prove once again that they are the most vivid romantic team on the screen. The promise they gave in "Bad Girl," the picture that lifted them both to the cinematic skies is fulfilled in generous measure in their joint performance in "Sailor's Luck."

Dunn plays the role of a happy-go-lucky gal, always ready to fight but always alive in the ways of the world. Sally Eilers, as the girl who is too sensible for it all, is the perfect foil. They meet quite accidentally, as is usually the case with a girl and a girl, and from then on the action is hectic and hilarious. Dunn resents the attentions that other men pay to Miss Eilers, but the girl happens to be the kind that provokes attention. She just can't help it. After a series of misadventures, and a separation provided by both the United States Navy and a quarrel of their own, the two are re-united in a climax of rare entertainment. The supporting cast is excellent in a number of character portrayals, each of which is a gem. It includes Sammy Cohen, Frank Moran, Victor Jory, Esther Muir, Will Stanton, Curley Wright, Jerry Mandy, Lucien Littlefield, Buster Phelps and Frank Atkinson.

Raoul Walsh, the guiding genius of "What Price Glory" and "The Cuck-Evil World," directed "Sailor's Luck" with the sure touch of a man who knows comedy when he sees it.

"The Sign of the Cross." The day of the million-dollar spectacular-drama has returned. And, as far as Hollywood is concerned, prosperity has at last managed to get around that mythical corner.

Cecil B. DeMille's "The Sign of the Cross" is a spectacle of pagan Rome in the days of Nero, last of the Caesars, who was the person who did the trick. Like DeMille's "The Ten Commandments" and "The King of Kings," "The Sign of the Cross," which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre, was produced on a gigantic scale, with thousands of players, elaborate settings and all the other features that run up bills, but still audiences are awed by the magnificence they are beholding.

Nearly 7,600 persons made up the cast of "The Sign of the Cross." These include Frederic March, Elissa Landi, Claudette Colbert, Charles Laughton, and others in leading roles, and thousands of "extras" who appear in Roman street scenes and in the arena in which Nero stages his bloody games.

Practically the entire Paramount ranch, comprising several score acres of land near Hollywood was converted into a section of the City of Rome as it was in Nero's day. Streets, public squares and houses were duplicated from research based on several hundred years of excavations in the Imperial City. These setting were later destroyed by fire, when DeMille filmed Nero's burning of Rome.

An elaborate Roman bath, in which Miss Colbert, as the Empress, is photographed during the course of her ablutions, was constructed from blueprints and charts of baths uncovered in recent excavations.

Most elaborate of all the settings was a duplication of the Circus Maximus a huge amphitheatre which for several hundred years was the scene of the bloody gladiatorial combats and chariot races in which the Roman populace delighted. A huge structure, the original Circus Maximus seated 160,000 persons. DeMille built a section of the grandstand large

enough to seat the 7,600 extras, as well as the entire 50,000-square-area in which the games were actually conducted.

"Westward Passage"

Can a woman really love twice? Does a true real passion ever die completely? Those are the questions asked and answered in "Westward Passage," the Ann Harding starring picture at the Central Theatre to-day.

In her superb performance as the love-tortured woman, Miss Harding is cleverly pressed for honours by Laurence Olivier and Irving Pichel, who play husband number one and husband number two respectively.

"Westward Passage" was directed by Robert Milton and besides Miss Harding, Olivier and Pichel also in the cast are Zasu Pitts and Irene Purcell.

"I Loved You Wednesday"

"I Loved You Wednesday," the Fox screen presentation of the successful Broadway play of the same name, with a cast of notable screen personalities, starts on Sunday at the King's Theatre. Henry King, director of "State Fair," is said to have duplicated his success with this film in which his all-star cast includes Warner Baxter, Elissa Landi, Miriam Jordan, Victor Jory and Laura Hope Crews.

The story revolves around the glamorous figure of a ballet dancer in Paris who, seeking to heal the wounds left by an unfortunate love affair, goes to South America to launch on a professional dancing career. There she meets a handsome engineer who falls in love with her, but their work separates them, but they meet later in New York, each of them having a measure of fame. They are about to embark on a honeymoon

aboard his yacht, when her Paris lover puts in a sudden appearance and complicates matters.

The manner in which four worldly-wise men meet this situation, the dancer, her engineer-fiancé, her former lover and his beautiful but neglected wife is said to be absorbing, and the denouement is reported as a definite surprise.

"The Midnight Follies of 1933-34."

Few travelling companies can boast the clever array of talent to be seen at the King's Theatre on Sunday when the Midnight Follies of 1933-34 hold forth. Featured in the production is a beauty chorus outstanding in ability and appearance. These clever girls sing and dance themselves into favour immediately with their modern terpsichore.

Supporting artists are Frank Bradwood, the cowboy Bartone, in a real Western singing act. He has been a featured attraction in all the continental and American variety theatres, besides being the husband of Kitty Watson, of the famous Watson Sisters. Frank Bradwood is a musician singer and comedian and is a regular attraction at the Follies.

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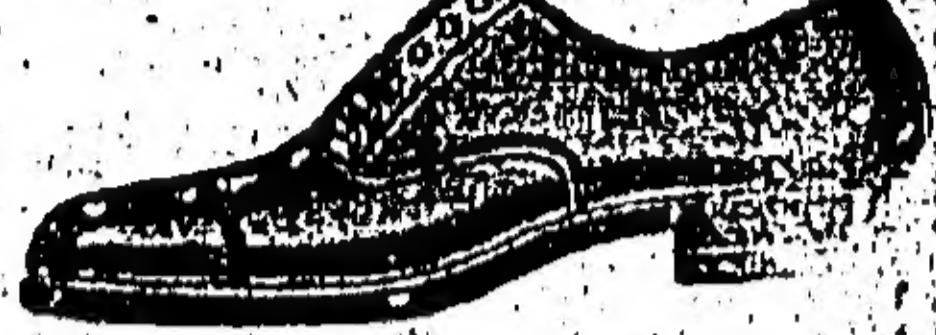
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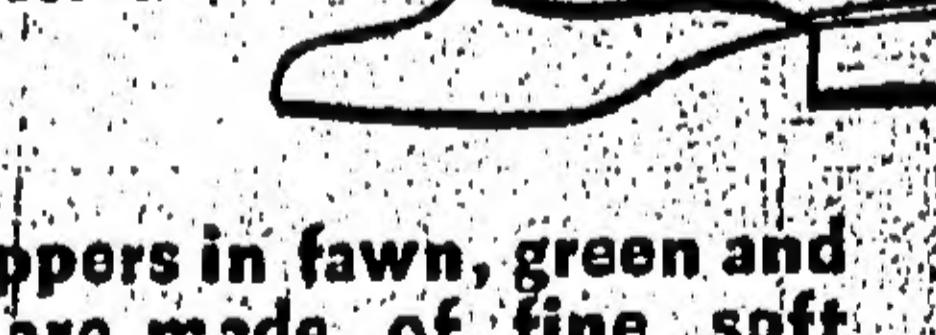
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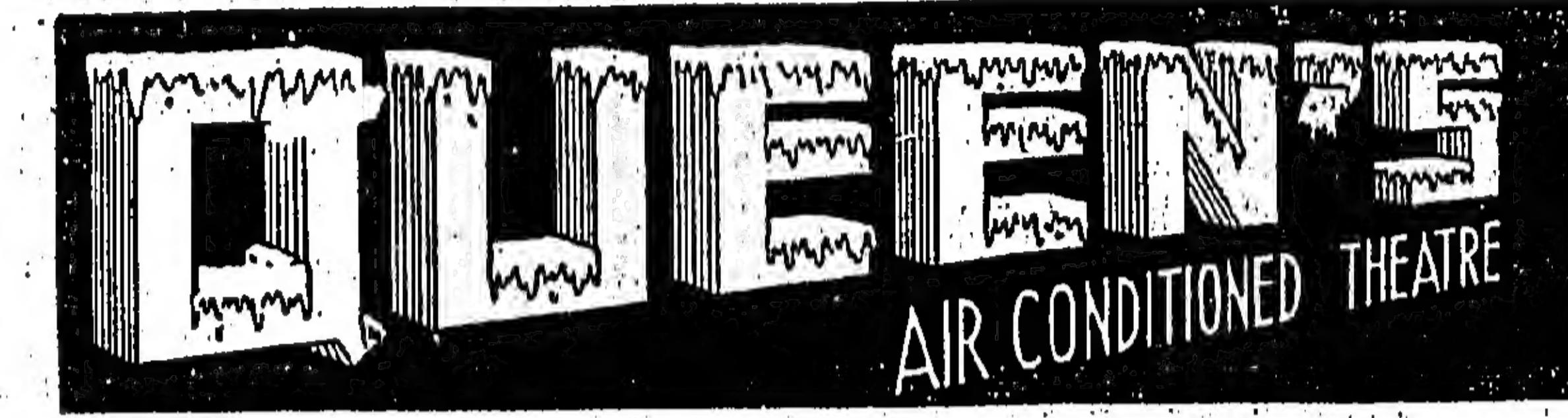
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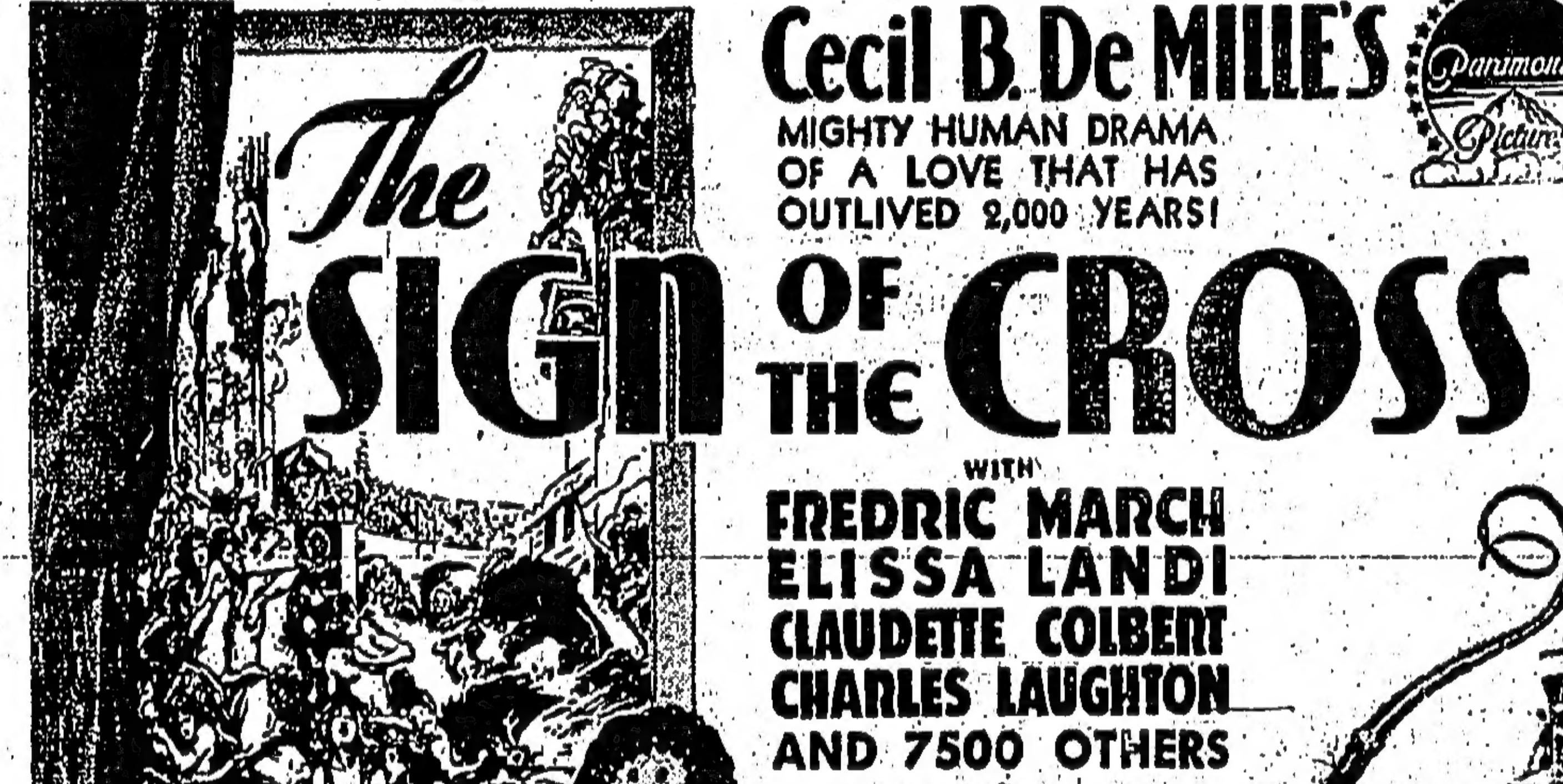
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1933.

EAST FULHAM

The results of other pending by-elections must be awaited before East Fulham will be revealed in true perspective. It seems to presage a storm that bodes no good to the National Government; other constituencies may expose it as a mere flash of summer lightning, although there are special features which suggest otherwise. It has never been a key seat in the general sense of the term, for the reason that it has always been regarded as safe for the Conservative. The late member in fact fought five successful elections there in the Conservative cause, and was only once seriously challenged by Labour and that in 1929 when the margin was more than 1,700 votes. The Labour Party at that time was at the peak of its popularity. To-day it is in the doldrums and yet comes through with a brilliant success in this supposedly safe Tory seat. The event, indeed, must be viewed more seriously than had East Fulham been a key seat, pending the lessons to be derived from other important by-elections to be held in the next week or two. Then only will it be possible to judge whether East Fulham marks the commencement of the break-up of the National Government. For that is the obvious inference from so startling a result. It looks suspiciously like the writing on the wall, even while it may be pointed out that somewhat similar suspicions have been entertained before. Beneath the surface, in fact, there have been frequent and clear signs of a tendency towards disintegration. Sir Herbert Samuel's defection was the first pointer. Latterly, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has been the subject of overt and covert attacks; in some quarters it has been quietly suggested that he be given a peerage and sent to the United States as Britain's Ambassador! His successor? Few have dared to make a suggestion but those who have considered the prospect of an end to the present regime and found it good, have not seriously entertained the idea that Mr. Baldwin should be the next occupant of No. 10, Downing Street. The fever of haste has been getting a grip upon England and Mr. Baldwin, who would be a stickler for Parliamentary methods, would merely constitute a brake upon the ambitious. British politics to-day warrant careful study. There are steadily increasing signs of impatience with the slow-grinding Parliamentary system. Had the National

NOTES OF THE DAY

SHOP LOUD-SPEAKERS

A little more peace and quiet may be brought to the Chinese business quarter by the new anti-noise measure now before Legislative Council. It is designed to prohibit shop advertisement broadcasts, usually consisting of the amplification by radio appliances of a raucous voice, and it is a step that will be generally applauded. After the experience of the last twelve months, it would not be surprising to find the shopkeeper as pleased as anyone at the prohibition. The din in Queen's Road in the evening is nerve-wracking for the passer-by. The effect upon the occupants of the shop concerned is better imagined than experienced.

IMITATION

The rapid growth of this "modern" method of salesmanship was inevitable once the originator had been allowed to let himself go to the limit without police interference. A man with the slightest acquaintance with Chinese business methods must have foreseen the exasperating result. If initiative costs money it is wasteful; for if Mr. Pun Tit installs three loud-speakers in his counter, his rivals do likewise; if he puts in a fourth, and employs another loud-speaker to "attract" his wares, there are rows of loud-speakers and a chorus of shouts in the twinkling of an eye. When all traders are similarly equipped, the new attraction is valueless; they might just as well have none; and when the "attraction" means a fearful noise and congestion in the streets, none should be permitted. But there is not likely to be any trouble about compliance with the new Ordinance when it is passed. If John Trader is satisfied that John Neighbour is also to give up the nighty blare, he will scrap his own instrument of nuisance with all good will and quiet content.

WADDETS AND THE FARMER

Mr. Henry Wallace, the United States Secretary of Agriculture, is showing an understanding of war debts which does credit to himself and his position. In an article in the *United States News* on the debts, he ignores deep-rooted prejudices and shows the farmers of the middle West and South, simply and convincingly, where their interest lies. Capitol Hill shivers in its boots at the mildest suggestion of looking into these debts. Ninety-nine per cent. of the congressional oratory on this subject has been exhortation of Europe. Even an Administration which takes "first things first" has receded from making suggestions to Congress about this politically dangerous question. The Secretary, therefore, when he makes a frank and earnest statement, does the world a good turn.

LOGIC OF THE ISSUE

If we wanted Europe to pay her debts to us, says Mr. Wallace, we should logically have encouraged to ship her goods here. If the agricultural South and the agricultural Midwest wanted to see those war debts and private debts repaid, then our farmers plainly should have clamoured for lower tariffs, to let European goods in. . . . I don't remember hearing such a clamour. . . . Our refusal to behave as a creditor nation logically should . . . has been particularly disastrous to the South and the middle West. Through the failure of the farmers to make the clamour, not speak of the scorching criticism they generally directed against Europe, they have rendered useless from 30,000,000 to 50,000,000 acres of their land. These acres being useless, it was necessary to devise some scheme for supporting agriculture until world markets are regained. The Agricultural Adjustment Act was the scheme hit upon and Mr. Wallace thinks it is not inconsistent with a programme for recovering lost markets. But to do that the United States must settle the war debt question. When will the Middle West see its own interest, discard prejudices, and permit the Government to make a rational settlement?

Government come back prepared in its third year to prosecute a vigorous policy—having got its second wind, so to speak—there would have been little diminution of its backing in the country. But the slum clearance policy is not enough, and the new unemployment insurance proposals are likely to arouse more censure than satisfaction. In England to-day there is a feeling that the National Cabinet having worked hard and succeeded so well for two years has exhausted itself and needs a rest. There is a compliment there; but also a criticism, and it is the sort of criticism that is most damaging.

ARE LANDLORDS TO BE PITIED?

THEIR TENANTS SAY "NO!"

By C. V. L. for the Telegraph

IF RECENT SIGNS are a true reflexion, the position of many landlords is parlous, and many tenants with an uncomfortably long memory, will be forgiven if they permit themselves a little gratification from an undue proportion to a reduced income. The consequence for these selfish property owners has been, as in one case we know of, that he loses his tenants. In the case singled out as one of many, the tenants left in a body, without being seriously inconvenienced by a wide selection of unoccupied tenements.

It would be interesting, as a record of this overbuilding, to have a complete return of the number of buildings, in many cases still unoccupied since their completion a year, or even two years ago. Signs of this arrested development are very apparent in Mongkok, Shamshui Po, Tai Po, and other outlying districts, where as can well be imagined, a tenant may be welcomed on his own terms, if only to save the buildings from being pulled to pieces by that creature as prominent as the ubiquitous white ant—the tinxing vanau who is not above tearing the very shutters from their hinges.

THE EXALTED TENANT.

In the circumstances, into which he has been elevated, showered as he is with blandishments and generous terms, it is not to be wondered a new local character has been evolved; a tenant conscious of a new-found worth and in the easy and unprecedented position of more or less imposing his own bargain. One is asked to compare this with his status of say five years back, when he was far from admitting that his wishes had counted for much.

The facts admitted, it is then unnecessary further to point out that making the most of a "chance in a life-time," he reckons little the general moan being uttered by landlords over a greatly reduced position, or the appeal for being saved in certain cases against the natural consequences of speculation excesses. To him these complaints have sounded strange against the historical background of the building boom.

The period is left not so far behind that he cannot recall when he and his kind were compelled by a high standard of rents to ally themselves into a Tenants Protection Association, and Government were consistently invoked to set up a Fair Rents Board.

THE BOOT ON OTHER FOOT.

Yes, the boot is on the other foot, and tenants' memory an uncomfortably long one. Yet we still hear of landlords foolish

The Very Idea!

IF GOSSIP WE MUSH!

By Eddie "Queenie" Kelly

SINCE he read the gossip page of a contemporary, Edward Kelly has decided that his talents as a humorist are simply wasted. As the husband of one of the biggest gossips in Hongkong, he considers that a little element of scandal and cackle should be introduced into "The Very Idea." It follows.

THE WEEK IN HONGKONG

Quaff! What a busy week I'm having. I've hardly had time to go across to the Hongkong Hotel for a breather. I was just too, too thrilled at the thought that would be with me for afternoon tea to day, but one must put up with these disappointments in Hongkong.

THE SCOTTISH COMPANY

Wasn't it just too adorable the way the Scottish Company marched through the streets of Kowloon last week. I don't think men look handsomer unless they have hairy legs, and no one can say that our Scotties are not good looking. They were dressed in a brightly coloured skirt which was cut in the latest style, with plait at the back. Large chromium safety pins on the right side of the skirt and on the ensemble. How thrilling their little black velvet coats looked and I particularly admired Rusty Forsyth—the Glen Garry on his lovely dark hair was the sweetest thing I have ever seen.

NAVY WEEK

Everybody in Hongkong is just simply in estacles about Navy Week. I was only speaking to Commodore Frank Elliott

don't you think he is just divine, handsomer in this photograph, girls—about yesterday, when we were having a swig of rum aboard H.M.S. *Tumid*. But perhaps I shouldn't mention the Commodore in this Gossip Page. You know how sailors must be discreet where sailors are concerned.

AN ORDINARY RISK

Darlings, I must tell you about a joke I played on my wife last week. Very foolishly I left "Eve's" name and telephone number in my coat pocket overnight last Tuesday. "Edward," my wife asked next morning, "what is Eve and what does 26616 mean?" "Arabella," I replied, "why, didn't I tell you? 'Eve' is the name of a horse I backed on Happy Valley last Saturday. It paid a dividend of \$260.10. Her's \$100. Wasn't that clever of me. But I must tell you what happened afterwards. When I went home that night, Arabella greeted me with 'Edward, that horse you backed on Saturday rang you up three times to-day!'

MR. RUTTONJEE'S SECRET

I simply adore the way Mr. Ruttonjee thinks beer. Next time I see him I must ask him for the recipe so that I can pass it on to you. Mr. Ruttonjee, who I think is one of the most handsome men in Hongkong, has a secret building out near the Ten Mile Beach. Everyone who visits the place looks so wonderfully happy and gay—it's a pity most of us cannot get away from the humdrum of the city more often to visit him.

THE FOOTBALL MATCH

I loved the Football last Saturday. I think it was just too divinely octetically marvelous the way the Hongkong Club beat the Navy Fifteen. The spectators were very "select," the sailors all looking beautiful in their autumn rigouts. For the winning side, J. J. Ferguson looked chiseled in his blue and white sweater, with white knickers to match. Doc Selby had an exquisitely divine black eye, which was caused by the elbow of a sailor.



MaoWhirter and a Friend.

ST. ANDREW'S NIGHT.

Of course, as you all know, our next big event in Hongkong is going to be St. Andrew's Ball. And now, dears, I'm going to let you in on a secret. Robert MacWhirter is secretly breeding a litter of haggis, and declares that he is going to put the "Once Over" all the competitors this year and carry off the prize. Speaking of Scotties, someone told me the other day that bagpipes weren't peculiar to Scotland. They're just peculiar. But, after all, girls, we must forgive Scotch people their idiosyncrasies—those short comings. MacWhirter and I are really warm pals (purely platonic, dears!) and I often abuse his kindness by pestering him for an advance in the middle of the month.

A HAPPY ENDING

And now, dears, before I finish, I must tell you about the story of the park-keeper's daughter, who is a

YANGI!

OW—WOW—OW—WOW—MEOW!

"Ring some more. I think they're just pretending they're not at home."

NAVY DAY PLANS

PROGRAMME FOR TO-MORROW

AMUSEMENT PARK FOR KIDDIES

To-morrow the Senior Service will be at home in the Royal Naval Dockyard on the occasion of Navy Day.

From 1.30 p.m. until 6 p.m. the public will have the opportunity of inspecting the different types of naval craft, and watching an aerial display, while the kiddies will find everything to amuse them in an amusement park which is to be laid out on the football ground.

The first half of the programme will comprise Crossing the Line on the West Wall East, destroyers in action in the Basin, a Howitzer display on the Football Ground, and Crossing the Line on the West Wall East. An aircraft display will take place during the tea interval. Following tea a display will be given by the pipers from the 5th Jat Regiment, and "Retreat" will be played by the bands at 6.30 p.m.

Cinema performances are to take place in the Dockyard Garage, and naval divers can be seen at work in the North-east corner of the Basin. The amusement park will include an aerial railway, Aunt Sallie, chutes, and a general playground for children.

Vessels which will be thrown open for inspection will be H.M.S. Eagle, H.M.S. Suffolk, six destroyers, one or two submarines and one of the river gunboats. While the public are waiting to go on board periodic talks on the capabilities of the submarines will be given by one of the submarine officers.

Teas will be served aboard the Tamar and the Eagle and other places in the Yard.

Musical bands on the football ground and on the Dockyard wall in the south-east corner of the basin, the band of H.M.S. Suffolk on the Tamar, the band of H.M.S. Berwick at the head of the dry dock and of H.M.S. Eagle in the hangar.

The public will not, under any circumstances, be permitted to take camera's into the Dockyard.

The price of admission (\$1) covers entrance to the Dockyard, visits to H.M. Ships and views of all displays. No extra charge will be made except for refreshments, entrance to side shows on the Dockyard Football Ground and for speed boat trips.

THE "BLUES"

REPEAT EXHIBITION YESTERDAY

Repeating by special request London's latest Blues, Mr. J. A. Andrew and Miss Ursula Preston yesterday entertained another huge crowd at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

The slow dance is rapidly becoming the favourite among local Chinese dancers and there was no mistaking the enthusiasm in their greeting of the demonstrators' exposition of the Blues, one of the most graceful of all dances.

This afternoon Mr. Andrew and Miss Preston make their final appearance at the Hotel tea dances, and a record crowd is anticipated.

To-morrow evening they open a season at the Peninsula Hotel, when in company with Don and Sally, they will give three numbers.

Their third number is to be a novelty dance, and although they are keeping its form a strict secret, I am in the position to reveal that it will be something worth while.—S.A.G.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 25.	Oct. 26.
Paris.....	80.2/32	80.4/
Genova.....	16.36	16.27
Berlin.....	18.274	18.21
Helsingfors.....	22.93	22.93
Oslo.....	10.00	10.05
Athens.....	5.60	5.60
Milan.....	60.1/16	60.1/16
Buenos Aires.....	43.46	44.44
Shanghai.....	1.3/5.16	1.3/5.17
New York.....	4.774	4.74
Amsterdam.....	7.86	7.814
Vienna.....	20	20
Praha.....	100%	100%
Madrid.....	87.4	87.21/62
Bucharest.....	5.60	5.60
Hongkong.....	1.75	1.75
Brussels.....	22.74	22.60
Stockholm.....	10.804	10.804
Lisbon.....	105.14	105
Bombay.....	1.6/1.64	1.6/1.64
Yokohama.....	1.2/4	1.2/4
Montreal.....	34	34
Silver (spot).....	4.8514	4.83
War Long.....	18.1/16	18.1/16
Silver (forward).....	10.14	11.14
	18.3/16	18.3/16

—British Wireless.

SCHOOL AQUATICS

CENTRAL BRITISH SCHOOL HOLD ANNUAL EVENT

The annual swimming gala of the Central British School was held at the European Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday afternoon. Competition was keen, and the function was a decided success from the viewpoint both of the number of entrants and the keenness shown. The results gave the greatest aggregate of points to the Red Lions, which led by an extraordinarily large margin.

Following were the results:

The Results.
Event 1. Two Lengths for Girls: Section I.—1, L. de Chaffey; 2, D. Raven; 3, J. Booker.
Section II.—1, J. Holland; 2, R. Stephenson; 3, L. Hickey.
Section III.—1, J. Booker; 2, V. Featherstonehough; 3, N. Booker.
Section IV.—1, H. Ingram; 2, J. Nelson; 3, D. Martin.
Event 2. Two Lengths for Boys: Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, V. Mackenzie; 3, A. Mackenzie.
Section II.—1, Q. Bitzer; 2, L. Millington; 3, F. Fowler.
Section III.—1, Clark; 2, Neville; 3, N. Booker.
Section IV.—1, Low; 2, Houghton; 3, J. Mitchell.
Section V.—1, Farmer; 2, Rousseau; 3, Rolland.
Section VI.—1, Neville; 2, Floyd; 3, B. Askar.
Section VII.—1, R. Hall; 2, Gray; 3, R. Lubrum.
Event 3. Girls' Plunge: Section I.—1, V. Raven; 2, E. Rousseau; 3, L. de Chaffey.
Section II.—1, M. McCaw; 2, V. Featherstonehough; 3, J. Fraser.
Section III.—1, P. Baxter; 2, H. Ingram; 3, D. McCaw.
Event 4. Boys' Plunge: Section I.—1, B. Hynes; 2, J. Sharpham; 3, A. Mackenzie.
Section II.—1, H. Clarke; 2, N. Booker; 3, S. Millington.
Section III.—1, C. Hosegood; 2, J. Rousseau; 3, J. Wald.
Section IV.—1, V. Gaubert; 2, R. Lubrum; 3, M. James.
Event 5. Girls' Backstroke: Section I. Two Lengths.—1, J. Holland; 2, L. de Chaffey; 3, L. Hickey.
Section II. Two Lengths.—1, J. Booker; 2, M. McCaw; 3, E. Martin.
Section III. One Length.—1, H. Martin; 2, J. Brown; 3, J. Rousseau.
Event 6. Boys' Backstroke: Section I. Two Lengths.—1, Millington; 2, Bitzer; 3, Shupham.
Section II. Two Lengths.—1, P. Baxter; 2, Clarke; 3, Arnold.
Section III. Two Lengths.—1, Krown; 2, Bonci; 3, N. Brown.
Section IV. One Length.—1, Lodge; 2, V. Millington; 3, Wright.
Section V. One Length.—1, Floyd; 2, Hollings; 3, Asher.
Section VI. One Length.—1, D. Gray; 2, R. de Rome; 3, Bischopp.
Event 7. Neat Diving, Girls: 1. L. Hickey; 2, L. de Chaffey; 3, J. Lukeman.
Event 8. Neat Diving, Boys: Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, H. Gabriller; 3, O. Bitzer.
Section II.—1, N. Booker; 2, H. Clarke; 3, F. Houghton.
Section III.—1, N. Wicker; 2, E. Kinnard; 3, G. Lowe.
Section IV.—1, W. Pryde; 2, L. Norris; 3, R. Hall.
Event 9. 100 Yards, Boys: Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, MacKenzie; 3, Millington.
Section II.—Clark and Booker tied; 2, Proven.
Event 10. Leap Frog for Girls: Section I.—1, L. de Chaffey and D. Raven; 2, J. Naylor and R. Stephenson; 3, G. Booker and L. Hickey.
Section II.—1, J. Booker and M. Booker; 2, M. Martin and A. Dedeon; 3, H. Martin and H. Ingram.
Event 11. Lem. Frog, Boys: Section I.—1, Millington and Arnold; 2, Proven and Booker; 3, Lowe.
Section II.—1, V. Sharpham; 2, A. Mackenzie and Millington; 3, Wilson and Gaubert.
House Championship (including previous tests)—1, Red House (683 pts.); 2, Blue House (563 pts.); 3, Chocolate House (324 pts.).

DEWHURST STAKES
Mistress Rustom Wins At Newmarket
London, Oct. 26.—The Dewhurst Stakes were run at Newmarket to-day, and resulted as follows:
Mistress Rustom 1
Tiberius 2
Flamenco 3
The betting: 5/4 Mistress Rustom, 10/1 Tiberius, 8/1 Flamenco.
There were nine starters. The winner was home by one and a half lengths and three-quarters of a length separated the next two horses.
Router.

LEAGUE APPOINTEES.
IRISH DELEGATE GIVEN POST IN DANZIG

Geneva, Oct. 26.—Mr. Sean Lester, permanent Irish delegate to the League of Nations, was appointed High Commissioner to Danzig to-day.

It was simultaneously announced that Mr. James G. McDonald, director of the American Foreign Policy Association, had been appointed High Commissioner of an organisation fathomed by the League to deal with the problem of numbers of Jewish and other refugees from Germany.—Reuter.

WEDDING IN ROME.

RECEPTION HELD AT THE VATICAN

Rome, Oct. 26.

Miss Marlon Barton, daughter of Sir Sidney Barton, was married yesterday to Baron Falcone, secretary of the Italian Foreign Office.

A reception was held after the ceremony in the British Legation to the Vatican by Sir Robert and Lady Clive.—Reuter.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"MAXIMS DO NOT COUNT FOR MUCH UNLESS YOU KNOW HOW TO USE THEM."—John N. Willys.

Lt. Col. Robertson, Hongkong Club, will be glad to receive any article which may be auctioned on Armistice Day for the benefit of Earl Haig's Fund, and earnestly hopes that a good response to this appeal may be made. He is encouraged to appeal again this year owing to the very generous gifts sent last year.

To-morrow, St. Simon and St. Jude's Day, marks the first anniversary of the Consecration of The Right Reverend Ronald Owen Hall, Bishop of Hongkong, the Consecration having taken place in St. Paul's Cathedral, London last year on this day. Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. John's cathedral tomorrow at 7.45 a.m., the Celebrant being the Bishop. It is hoped that a good number will be present.

British Wireless.

After exhaustive inquiries, police no longer entertain the theory that an Indian or coloured man was concerned in the alarm raised at the Victoria Square home of Viscount Rendell by Miss Flatt.—Reuter.

While sharpening a knife at Koonchook Market, in the New Territories, yesterday, Wong Lee, aged 53, fell backwards from a stool and struck his head on the ground. The injury resulted in his death after admission to the Kowloon Hospital.

The aircraft carlor, H.M.S. Eagle, arrived at Junk Bay this morning. During the day she will carry out exercises and will be brought along to-morrow at about noon. Tomorrow morning she will carry out

MURDER TRIAL

COOLIE ACQUITTED ON MAJOR CHARGE

A murderous chopper attack on a sleeping man and woman in a sampan at Sha Po on the night of August 6, and the death of the woman from numerous head injuries, were the subject of the murder brought against Fok Kan, alias Tau Pei-lo, at the Criminal Sessions.

After a trial lasting two days, before the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, accused was acquitted.

Mr. Lee D'Almada defended and was instructed by Mr. H. A. de Barros Bothelo. Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Crown.

COUNSEL FOR ACCUSED.

Mr. D'Almada, in addressing the jury, said it was significant that the prosecution had altered their indictment against prisoner, the charges laid against him at the Tai Po magistrate being that of murdering "with others, not in custody" and of wounding Chan Shing with Pang Ngu-shing.

Whilst not suggesting that Chan Shing had falsified his evidence, the jury had no right to accept such evidence, given in the manner it was, and he would also ask them to reject the testimony of the girl, his daughter. She had been the Crown's "star" witness until that day; but examination of Detective Inspector Chester Woods revealed that on the day after the murder she made no accusation against prisoner and it was not until several days had elapsed and "her imagination had had time to work" that she made statements against him.

Although there were over a dozen other inhabitants of matsheds on the bank the Crown had not been able to produce any more witnesses other than Au So who had merely said he saw a man, apparently Pang, on the bank.

POINT FOR PRISONER.

It was a point in prisoner's favour that he made no attempt to leave the vicinity of the crime and when he was arrested he possessed no booty although the deceased woman had from all appearances been robbed.

Conceding the point that accused knew that Lau Fa had money in his possession, he would not have waited such a long time had he intended to possess himself of it.

The fact that his client had not given evidence that day should not be allowed to weigh against him as he had already subjected himself to cross-examination at the magistrate when he had not the benefit of legal advice.

The suggestion had been made that the motive was robbery, but accused had said that Pang committed the murder for motives of revenge. To support this they had the fact that the dead woman's "husband", Chang-Shing, had not been very open when questioned as to his exact relationship with the woman and her family.

In conclusion Mr. D'Almada asserted that there was not sufficient evidence adduced by the Crown to warrant a "guilty" verdict.

HALF HOUR RETIREMENT.

His Lordship, the Chief Justice, summed up the facts of the case and pointed out that although on his own admission, prisoner had been present at the killing, no-one had seen him deliver a blow and it was possible that Pang had first attacked one and then the other.

It was also possible that some other than Pang had chopped and assaulted the woman whilst he was striking the man. It had not been definitely established that there were only two men involved in the assault. There may have been three. He agreed with prisoner's counsel that Chan had not been very frank in certain parts of his evidence and it had been drawn from him that his "second wife's" husband had moned on him for some time before he disappeared.

If the jury accepted the girl's story that she saw accused sharpening the boat, that would go strongly to prove that he was a consenting party to the murder.

After retirement of half an hour the jury returned with a verdict of "not guilty" and prisoner was discharged.

AUSTRALIAN TRADE.

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A RELIC OF THE DARK AGES.

That is what constipation should be in these enlightened days, and would be too, if the demands of civilization did not so often interfere with nature's functions. An official dinner, a rush to keep an appointment, the exigencies of business, no matter what may have caused delay, the constipation which results is a very real danger, since it brings in its train disordered stomach, bilious attacks, liverishness, headache, dizziness, and other ailments.

Constipation should never be allowed to persist, for therein lies the breeding ground of much disease—the germs which thrive in a food tract congested with waste matter. As a corrective, and as a means of restoring natural regularity, nothing better exists than the gentle yet efficient laxative pills, Pinkettes. One as a dinner pill, two as a nutritive three as a purgative. Pinkettes aid digestion, stimulate the liver, dispel constipation. Chemists everywhere sell Pinkettes.

PREVENTS PYORRHÆA.

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7.30-8 p.m., Variety.

8.30-9 p.m., Vocal Gems—Hold Everything.

9.30-10 p.m., Victor Light Opera Co.

10.30-11 p.m., Song—So Tired.

11.30-12 p.m., Grace Fields (Comedienne).

THESE CRICKET TRIALS

WHY THEY
ARE
SO FUTILE

SELECTING A H.K.
ELEVEN.

ATTACK LACKS
VIRILITY

By "The Stumper."

This being the eve of the third and final trial to assist the Selection Committee in picking a Hongkong XI to play against Shanghai and Malaya in the forthcoming Triangular Inter-port, have chosen the moment to commence my cricket notes. Interest in cricket must be centred, for the next month at least, on the inter-port matches, and I propose to discuss Hongkong's prospects and players in this article.

After the term shown by some of the leading local players at the end of the last cricket season, I must confess to a feeling of disappointment at the exhibition of most of them during the trials. I walked away not only disappointed, but also with a conviction that trials were not a bit of good and that no harm could be done by scrapping them in future. What good are trials if they did not show you a man's real capabilities?

OBSESSION WHICH DESTROYS.

Have you noticed a normally good batsman going to the wicket with only one thought in his mind—to impress the Selection Committee at any cost—and this becoming such an obsession that he fails to do himself justice? What seems to be the matter with most of our younger players at the trials?

But I am one of the staunchest supporters of this "Inter-port" Net's scheme, which was started some years ago. Under the scheme, candidates for inter-port honours are allowed to practise at these nets and the Selection Committee are given an opportunity of watching them in action. I think this is a very sound idea and offers a good chance of gauging a player's capabilities.

But since it has been decreed that we must have trials, let us discuss what we have learned from the last two. To begin with, it has to be admitted that whilst we are in a happy position as regards batsmen, we are definitely weak in attack. It is not so much that we are short of bowlers as that we lack variety.

NOT GOOD ENOUGH.

F. D. Pereira, F. Goodwin, A. C. Hamilton, C. G. Garthwaite and E. R. Duckitt are all more or less the same type. Then we have perhaps our best bowler in A. R. Minu, who is left-handed; G. C. Burnett, a clever medium-paced bowler who flighted the ball very well; and slow bowlers in A. H. Madar, T. A. Pearce and H. Owen Hughes. Even so I am afraid this attack is not good enough to dismiss the visiting teams cheaply.

E. C. Fincher's position as opening bat seems to be quite safe. He is by far our best opening batsman. By his display in the second trial, Duckitt increased his chances of inclusion considerably. I think he should be in the team. Fincher, as Hongkong's opening pair, we have not yet seen T. A. Pearce at the trials, and report has it that he is not quite fit. He showed enough last year to prove that, if fit, he should fill the No. 3 position. He is also a fine fielder and it would be a pity if he cannot take part.

A batsman who has been in the spotlight lately is Capt. F. V. Williams. I watched him at the trials and admired his quick foot-work and wonderful leg-shots. I recommend any young player wishing to learn the leg-glance to study him. He gave me the impression that he is rather weak on the off, but he seems to be able to make runs. I think he should be included.

THE CAPTAIN.

Two Army players who seem to have about the same claims for inclusion are Lt. Hamilton, of the South Wales Borderers, and Lt. Garthwaite, of the Royal Artillery. Both did well in the League last season, but the latter has not performed anything of note in the trials. Both are all-rounders—two of the best in Hongkong—but the Borderer's man has the advantage of previous experience in inter-port cricket.

The care of captaincy will probably fall on the shoulders of A. W. Hayward, but on form alone I doubt if he is worth his place in the side. Of course his experience of inter-port cricket would be a great asset to the side. He is not the Hayward of old, particularly in his fielding. Although H. Owen Hughes made a half century last Saturday, his form did not impress me at all. He

SOUTH CHINA RETURN
TO THE ARENA

BILLIARDS MATCH.

ST. PATRICK'S CLUB
DEFEAT R.A.

In a Steel Coulson billiards tournament held last night, the St. Patrick's Club defeated the R. A. Sergeant's Mess, four matches to two.

The following are the scores, the first named player in each case being the St. Patrick's representative.

O'Connor 150 Jones 143; Bailey

130, Woods, 150, Jordan 150,

Hardy 93; Cleddening 150,

Clarke 148; Miller 112, Longman

150; Remedios 150, Fine 113.

SAINTS'
100 PER CENT
IN DANGERKOWLOON DUE
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RETURNS TO
TEAM

(By "Veritas").

Apart from one or two attractive ties to-morrow, chief interest in league football this week-end is to be found in the return to the arena of South China, who, fresh from their successes in Nanking and Shanghai, entertain St. Joseph's on Sunday.

And unless a 48 hours sea trip has robbed the champions of their legs, or St. Joseph's can show they have learnt a thing or two during the absence of their opponents, I feel that the Saints are going to have their 100 per cent record spoilt.

St. Joseph's were not a little lucky

to retain the much-coveted record last

week and as they cannot expect to be

trounced so generously by the South

Chinaman forwards as they were by the

Kowloon shrapnel-shooters(!), the defence

will have to be at its very best to

remain intact.

If nothing else the occasion

should offer A. V. Giannini unlimited

scope to reveal his abilities, and

there is small doubt that he will

seize the opportunities with both

hands, for "A.V." never worries

about the odds.

South China can rest assured that

a warm welcome will await them from

their enthusiastic supporters, who for

three weeks now have been denied the

sight of their favourites in action.

It should be an entertaining match,

for say what you will, St. Joseph's

have tons of good football in them.

SHANGHAI.

D. W. Leach (Captain)

R. Booth

J. A. Isaacs

J. C. Jenkins

J. F. N. Mayhew

J. L. Rawsthorne

P. V. Simpson

A. C. Sinclair

L. Stokes

T. W. R. Wilson

H. T. Smith (Manager)

F. E. T. Marshall (May come).

MALAYA.

R. N. Hamilton (Captain)

L. Alvis

D. C. Burn

F. Lt. V. Croome, R. A. F.

R. G. Gibson

S. S. Gill

W. O. Jonklaas

R. B. Lewis

R. Morgan, R. A. F.

C. A. Spalding

Eu Chow Tek

G. Willis

W. W. Dean (Umpire)

W. D. Charlton (Scorer).

was terribly dull at first, but livened up towards the end when he showed

glimpses of his old form—paradoxically enough when the light was get-

ting bad. He is of course a brilliant slips fielder and quite a useful change

bowler.

Of the fast bowlers, I would

prefer Pereira to Goodwin if it

came to a choice between them.

The younger man is faster and also

a better fielder, while he can be

depended upon to make runs if

necessary.

A. R. Minu, in my opinion, should

be one of the first choices. He is

bowling at the top of his form at the

moment.

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THE CLUB'S NIGHTMARE.

With last week's nightmare still

fresh in the memory, the Club will

take the field against the Police

with only one concern—and one

desire—a return to shoulder form.

I think the Club can, and will, beat

the Police, but only when greater

accuracy is shown in front of goal.



South China return to their senior league programme to-morrow, and here is the team which is expected to be on duty. Standing: Li Tin sang, Laung In chan, Lai Kwok wal, Wong Wing, Lau Mai, Leung Shui yick, Wong Kee shun, Pau Ka ping, Tam Kong pak and Ip Pak-wa. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

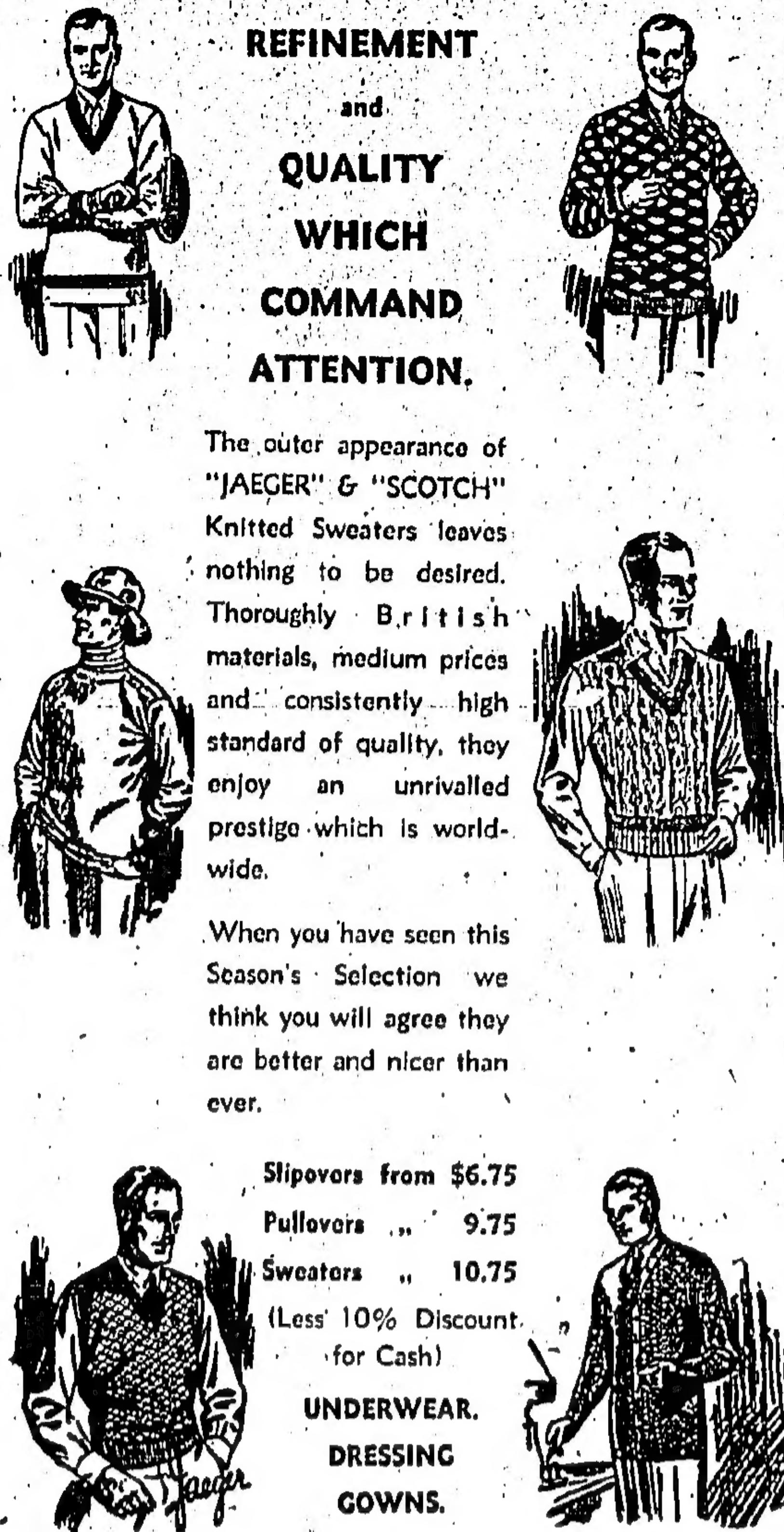
C.B.S. SET NEW FASHION
IN HOCKEY ATTIREKHAKI SHORTS
FOR GIRLSKEEN ENCOUNTERS
NEXT WEEK

By "Bully Off."

THE Central British School girls have set up a new and attractive fashion in the way of hockey wear, and one which is likely to prove popular, especially in Hongkong. They have abandoned the time-honoured skirt and gym tank for shorts and shirts, the shorts being of khaki, and the shirts of a light blue with the School badge on the pocket.

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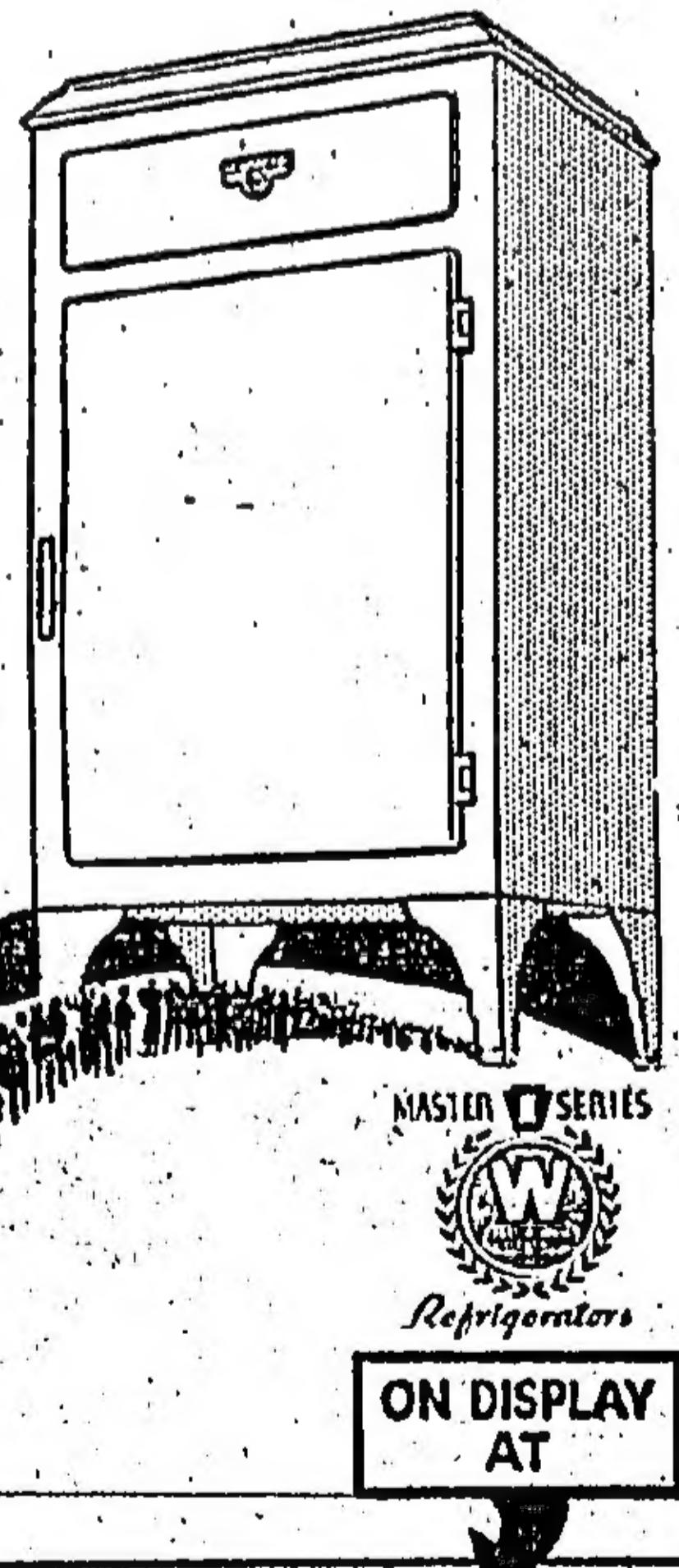
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"SHADOWS BY THE SEA"

(Continued from Page 5.)

out 'oo, took it, sir, didn't I?"

"I wouldn't go as far as that, Jim," returned Leonard, "but, anyway, you've made a good guess, and you've done the job I set you."

On the point of departure, Jim enquired, "Ave I still gotta keep mum, sir?"

"As a door-post," nodded Leonard. "And door posts, Jim, don't say a word to anyone."

Jim smiled faintly, then jumped, as new figure loomed near. But it was only Napoleon Truelove. It annoyed Jim, as he walked back to the hotel, to feel that he had jumped over such a trifles.

"Now, don't lam into me for bein' late," exclaimed Napoleon. "I spent ten minutes over that letter, and then I couldn't remember whether you said the lily-pond or the rose-garden. So I went to the rose-garden—my luck's always out—and bumped into Mr. Grididle—"

"I thought he was going to his room," interposed Jessica.

"So did I," answered Napoleon. "In fact, it was rather funny. How's your headache?" I said to him, and he replied, 'Written your letter?' Then we both laughed, though the Lord knows why!"

"He didn't believe you'd written a letter?" asked Leonard.

"He had to believe it," retorted Napoleon, "cos I took it out of my pocket and asked if he'd come to the pillar-box with me."

Leonard smiled, and looked at Jessica. She answered his smile. Napoleon Truelove was proving himself to be quite an astute policeman, after all.

"Finish your story," said Leonard. "Did you go to the pillar-box?"

"Yes. And posted the letter. That's what made me so late. It was to myself in London. I expect it will be redirected on here. 'Hello,' I said in it. 'How are you?' When I get it I shall reply, and tell myself how I am."

Jessica burst into a laugh, and Leonard's heart warmed to his new recruit. It was the first time he had seen Jessica laugh like that; and it made him long to see her laugh again.

For not only was Jessica's laugh a happy laugh (and all laughter is not that), but it made the hearer happy. A natural spring in her nature, temporarily clogged, had temporarily flowed again.

"But I'm still waiting to learn whether Mr. Grididle accompanied you to the letter-box," remarked Leonard.

"He did," nodded Napoleon.

"Did he see the name and address on the envelope?"

Napoleon chuckled. "There is a line in one of Henry Arthur Jones's priceless plays that runs, 'I may be an ass, but I'm not a silly ass.' Well, I'm not a silly ass. Mr. Grididle didn't see the name and address, and if he suspects me it can only be because he has a nasty, suspicious nature. But look here, I say! What am I doing all this for? It's time you told me, isn't it?"

Napoleon's eyes grew wide with amazement when he heard all Leonard had to tell, the last part of what he heard being related to him after Jessica Fyne had returned to the hotel. Under the pretext of coiling up the rope and putting it away in the shed, the two men stayed out a few minutes longer, and it was during these few

minutes that Leonard briefly outlined the incidents that had occurred at the wreck, and how he intended to deal with those incidents.

"It's going to be some risk, isn't it?" queried Napoleon, when Leonard had finished. "That is, I mean—if there's anything in it at all—and those sounds weren't imagination."

"If they were imagination," responded Leonard, calmly, "then there'll be no risk."

"Hm. But you don't think they were imagination, do you?"

"I don't. But they may have been."

"And if they weren't imagination—"

"It's absolutely vital that all the too solid facts shall be dealt with. I'd rather deal with it alone."

"Why?"

"Perhaps," smiled Leonard, "because of the risk. But a personal risk is one thing, and a risk of the failure of justice being done is another. Which is why, Mr. Truelove, I suggest enlisting your assistance in the manner aforementioned."

Napoleon grinned.

"Think we'd better drop the 'Mr.' somehow, if we're goin' to do together," he proposed. "You may call me anything you like—bar 'Nappy,' which is strictly reserved for a Certain Person. But look here, I say, isn't it rather priedless that you should pick upon a fellow like me, when you could have selected—"

"I'm sure I could have selected no one better," interposed Leonard. "And if we make fools of ourselves—"

"It will be nice and natural that I should be one of the 'fools,'" Napoleon finished for him. "Deucedly charmed, I'm sure! Anythin' for the sake of the dear little red herring. But look here, I say—"

"I know where there's one," replied Leonard. "Leave that part of it to me, and trot along and do your part. But just shove the shed door open first, will you, so I can chuck in this rope?"

"Not necessary," murmured Napoleon. "It's opening all of its—"

The door was pushed wide, and Luigi stopped out.

(To Be Continued)

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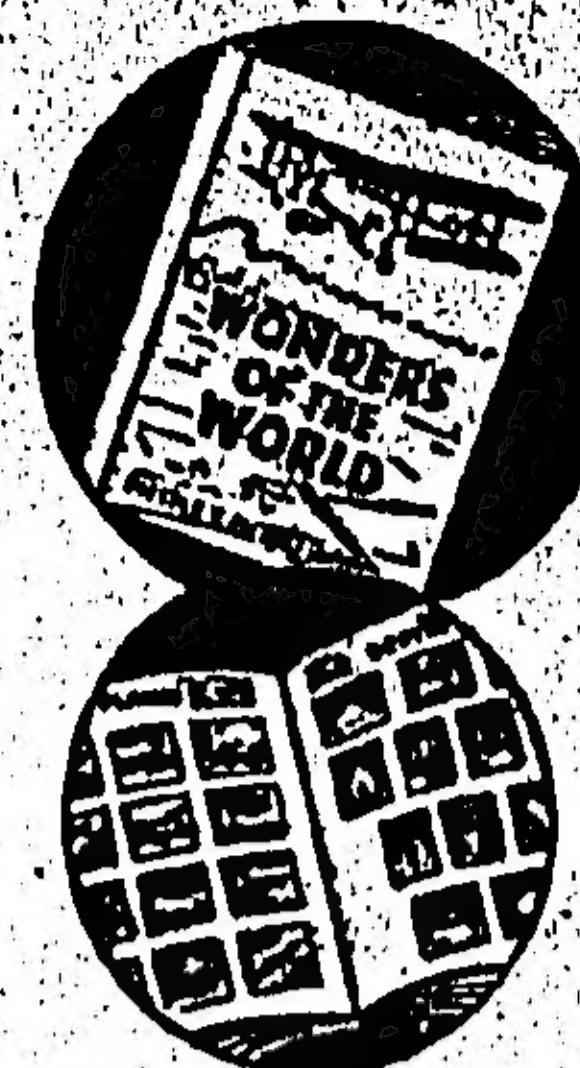
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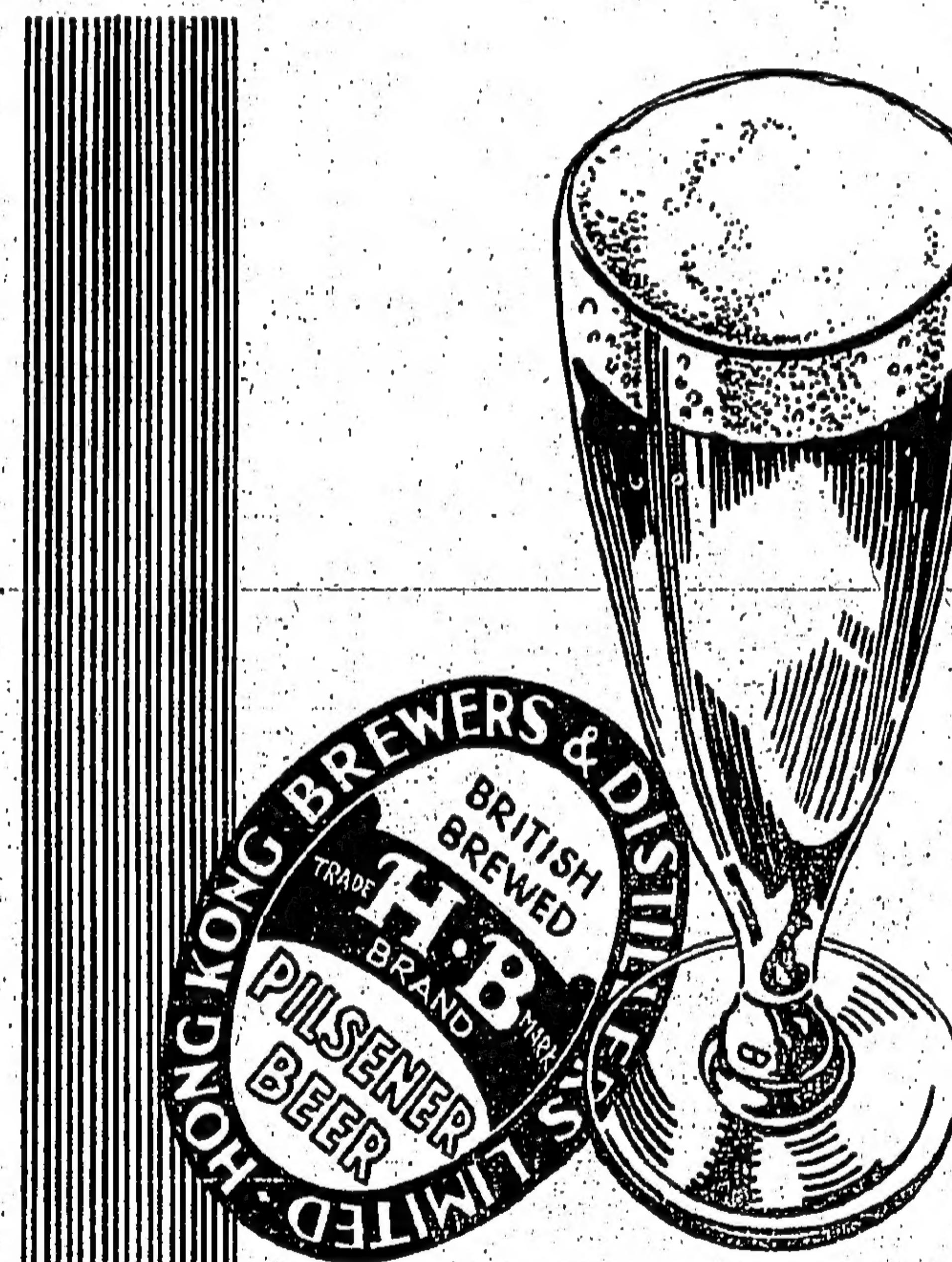
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By W. E. McKenney

Today's Contract Problem
In the following hand, East and West each have 100 honors. South is the dealer. How should the bidding proceed to arrive at the proper contract?

North: ♠ 9 8 5 4 ♦ Q 10
♦ K 6 4 3 ♦ 5 4 3
East: ♠ Q 8 2 ♦ A J 3
♦ 5 ♦ K Q J 10 8 7
South: ♠ 7 ♦ Q 9 7 6 5 4
♦ Q J 7 3 ♦ 4 3 6
West: ♠ A K J 10 8 ♦ 8 2
♦ A 10 9 6 ♦ 4 3 2
Solution in next issue.

Solution to Previous Contract Problem

Although four spades was bid in the preceding problem hand, five was made by a neat triple squeeze. In duplicate tournament play an extra trick beyond contract is what counts in the final scoring. Such play is what produces the winner.

The Bidding

South bid one spade, West passed and North bid no trump. South went to three spades, North bid three no trump and South went to four spades. This definitely said, "Partner, I prefer to play the hand at spades and do not believe there is any slam in it."

The Play

Against the spade contract West opened a small club which East won with the jack. East returned the six of spades and declarer allowed dummy's jack to win the trick. A small club was returned and when East played low the declarer trumped and then led two more rounds of spades, picking up the outstanding trump and discarding a small heart from dummy. East discarded a heart and a diamond.

Declarer's next play was a small heart and dummy's king was won by East with the ace. If East returns a diamond, the contract can be held to four odd. However, it looked to East as though his natural return was a small heart which South won with the queen.

South now started to play his spades. On the queen of spades West dropped a club, declarer discarded a small diamond from dummy, and East played a heart. On the seven of spades West played the queen of clubs, dummy the six of clubs and East the nine of clubs.

On the last spade both sides were squeezed. West could not let go his jack of hearts or dummy's nine would be good, so he

let go a diamond. Declarer then discarded the nine of hearts from dummy and East was squeezed. If he let go his ace of clubs, dummy's king was good, while if he discarded a diamond, declarer would win the last three tricks with diamonds.

It is understood that the matter is in the hands of the Admiralty's solicitors, and that a defence to the claim will probably be entered.



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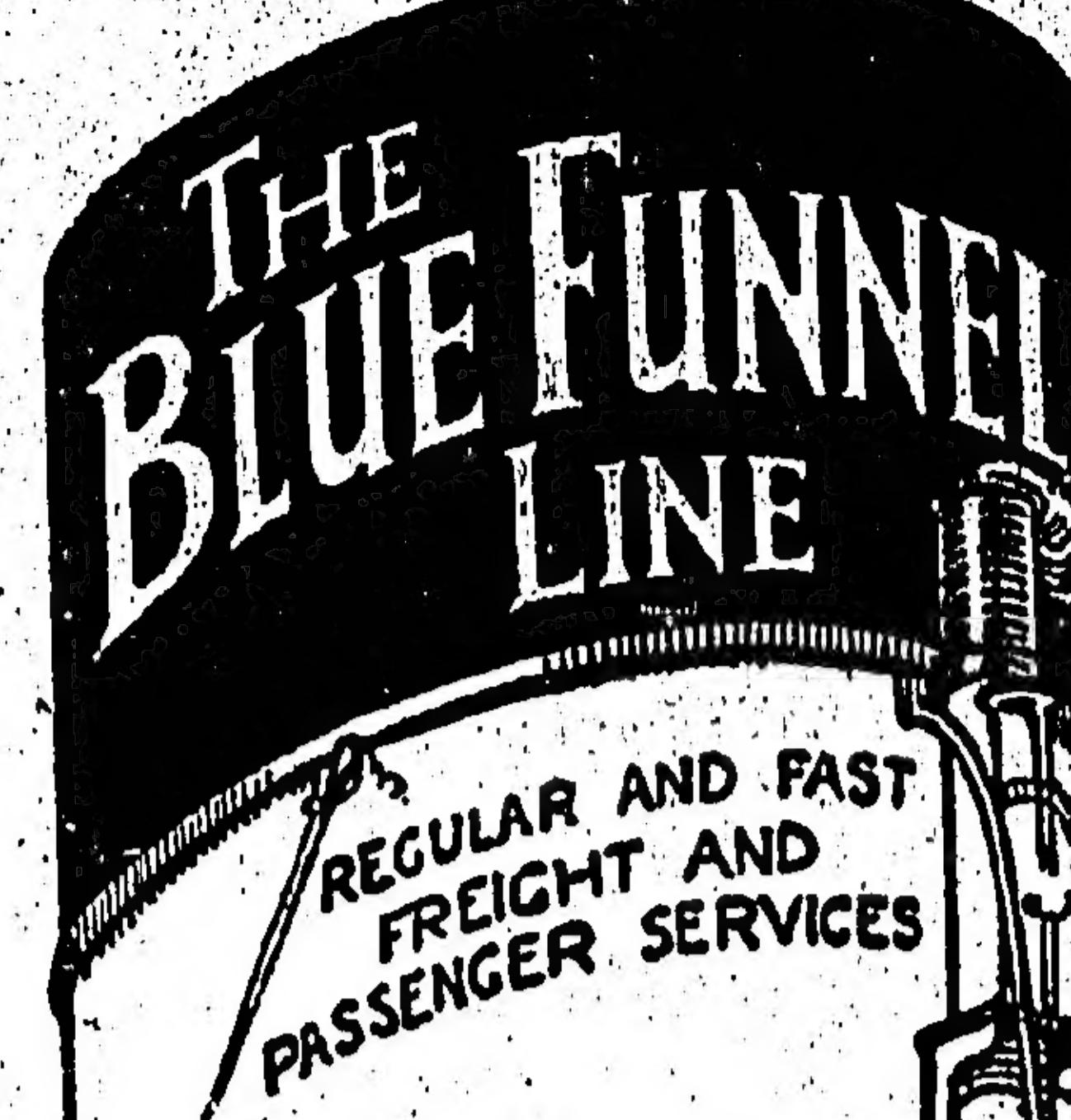
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LOCAL FORESHORES.

DRAFT ORDINANCE NOT
PROCEEDED WITH

It was announced yesterday that the Government are not prepared to proceed with the draft Bill of the Foreshore and Seabed Ordinance at the present time.

The Hongkong Foreshore and Sea Bed Works Ordinance met with local opposition on the question of private rights, compensation and the power of the authorities to override private rights.

The draft Bill, together with a letter of protest from the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce, was considered by the Home authorities, and on July 10 the matter was ventilated by a question in the House of Commons.

The Ordinance was sent Home in May.

The Colonial Secretary's Office stated at the time that the chief purpose of the ordinance was to permit the Government to resume marine land for public purposes without being compelled to promote a special Bill for each project.

SUICIDE ATTEMPT.

YOUNG CHINESE WOMAN
JUMPS FROM FERRY

A young Chinese woman, travelling third class aboard the Star Ferry "Polar Star," attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by jumping into the harbour. The incident occurred about 8.20 p.m. while the ferry was journeying from Kowloon to Hongkong.

Following the splash, an alarm was raised, and the woman was rescued by three Chinese sailors of the ferry crew. A police launch drew up in mid-stream, came alongside, the ferry and took her on board to Kowloon.

The woman, Li Nyan, stated to be about 25 years of age, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital Inter.

CANTON-SHANGHAI
AIR MAIL.STORM COMPELS PLANE TO
LAND AT FOOCHOW

Shanghai, Oct. 26. The Sikorsky amphibian plane, Canton, inaugurating the Canton-Shanghai air mail service, encountered a heavy storm on her northward flight this morning and was compelled to land at Foochow.

The plane will resume its flight from Foochow to-morrow morning, arriving here about noon. —Reuter.

The new service is being conducted by Pacific-American Airways, a subsidiary of the famous Pan-American Airways Company. Several survey flights were made by Mr. H. M. Blbky, vice-president of the company.

Later, when certain conditions are fulfilled, the service will be extended to Hongkong and Manila.

No passengers, it is understood, were carried on yesterday's flight, as it was not the intention of the company to carry anything but air mail for the first 80 days.

HONGKONG LETTERS.

May Be Sent By Air Mail
To Shanghai.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters may be posted from Hongkong for despatch to Shanghai by the new China National Airway Service from Canton. Stated local postal officials, when interviewed by a Press representative yesterday.

In order to connect with the air service from Canton, letters must be posted in Hongkong before 7 a.m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

In addition to the ordinary service rates from Hongkong to Canton, ordinary postage rates from Canton to Shanghai, plus 50

STREET SLEEPERS

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED FOR
THE SHELTER

A number of volunteers is required to do duty at the Street Sleepers Shelter when it is opened in December. The duties consist of care of registrars, collecting cash and general supervision.

Any who are willing to take on this voluntary work are asked to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, Miss R. Mow Fung, c/o Messrs. Gilman & Co., Ltd.

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Total	\$2,055

cents for each third of an ounce, must be added.

No special air mail bags are being made up in Hongkong. Letters posted in the Colony will be forwarded to Canton for inclusion in the Canton bags. Letters may be posted to Swatow as well as Canton.

The air mail leaves Canton every Wednesday and Saturday at 2.30 p.m., arriving at Shanghai at approximately 11 a.m. on Thursdays and Sundays. On the return trip the planes leave Shanghai on Tuesdays and Fridays at 6 a.m., arriving at Canton at 5 p.m. on the same days.

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London, Oct. 26.
The Council of the League of Nations have appointed the Irish delegate to the League of Nations, Mr. Sean Lester, to be High Commissioner of Danzig. British Wireless.

TRAMWAYS BLOCKED

ANOTHER "BANK COLLAPSE"

WARNING GIVEN IN TIME

A resounding crash about 5 o'clock this morning signalled the second serious collapse of part of the frontage of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank now in the course of demolition on the Des Voeux Road side.

As a result of the collapse, telephone communication between several places was cut off, and the tram service was disorganized for nearly two hours.

A long line of trams, reaching nearly to the Soldiers' Club, was the unusual sight which greeted early morning pedestrians.

A cool woman had a narrow escape from death, a large piece of masonry falling within five feet of her.

Luckily, signs of the imminence of a crash were observed by a police sergeant, who happened to be on the scene. He gave immediate warning, and the workers quickly scampered to safety. Less than five minutes after the warning the collapse occurred.

RICE INCIDENT AT AMOY

JAPANESE DEMAND CARGO RELEASE

Amoy, Oct. 27.

Another dispute involving Japanese residents has developed as the result of a consignment of rice belonging to a Japanese importer, being detained by the Tax Bureau on the ground that the importer refused to pay the scheduled rate of tax.

The Japanese Consul at Amoy requested the release of the consignment of rice on Wednesday but the authorities have refused to comply. Central News.

FUNING BANDITS SURRENDER

WALLED CITY NOW IN POLICE HANDS

Tientsin, Oct. 27.

The Chinese police forces besieging the walled city of Funing have at last compelled the bandits in the city to surrender without further resistance.

A delegation of the bandits held a parley with the Government officials outside the city on Wednesday and long discussions resulted in terms of agreement for surrender.

The city gates were reopened yesterday morning. Central News.

The arrival of H.M.T. Neuralia has been further delayed and instead of arriving this afternoon she is not expected until to-morrow at daybreak.

WAYLAID ON WAY HOME

SHOT IN THE ARM: CHEST GRAZED

I.R.A. SUSPECTED

LEADER OF MCCORMICK'S DEVILS

Belfast, Oct. 27.
Major J. H. McCormick D.S.O., the Member of Parliament for the St. Anne's Division of Belfast, had narrow escape last night when he was ambushed by two gunmen.

They opened fire on him as he was on his way home from Parliament House.

One bullet grazed his chest and another struck him in the arm.

He beat his assailants off, however, escaping with comparatively minor injuries.

Major McCormick was famous during the war as the leader of McCormick's Devils. He personally raised the Corps of Western Cowboys that earned this nickname and took them to France with the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

As a Lieutenant he led half a Brigade of Infantry composed of his own battalion, the 22nd, City of Winnipeg, and the 29th, in the final assault of Lens in 1917 and was recommended for the V.C.

He was wounded five times during the war.

I.R.A. OPPONENT

He held the post of Administrative Commissioner under the Northern Ireland Government during and after the Irish Treaty Truce period.

It is thought that the attack on him last night was the result of a speech in the Irish Parliament last week in which he strongly denounced the Irish République Army. Reuter.

ACTIVE STOCK MARKETS

DAY FINISHES ON VERY STRONG TONE

London, Oct. 26.
The Stock Markets were very strong and active during the day, although some profit taking occurred at the close.

War Loan finished at 100.1/16 ex-dividend, and the funding loan 4 per cent at 111 1/2. Callers were higher on the day. Indian mines were strong, and Internationals easier at the close. Rubber, Tin, Copper and Oil were very firm. British Wireless.

TYphoon HITS APARRI

HEAVY DAMAGE REPORTED

Aparrí, Oct. 24.

A typhoon swept over Aparrí last night, causing damage on nipa and bamboo houses and destroying electric wires, telephone lines and fences. On the eastern end of the seawall of the town, shores were eroded by waves.

The appearance of the typhoon was unexpected as there was no previous notice from local weather offices.

It lasted from 9 o'clock in the night to 4 o'clock in the morning, destroying considerable property.

DRIZZLE PROBABLE

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is now centred over South Manchuria. It has regained intensity and covers the greater part of China and Japan.

The typhoon is situated about 100 miles east of Toulane, moving westward.

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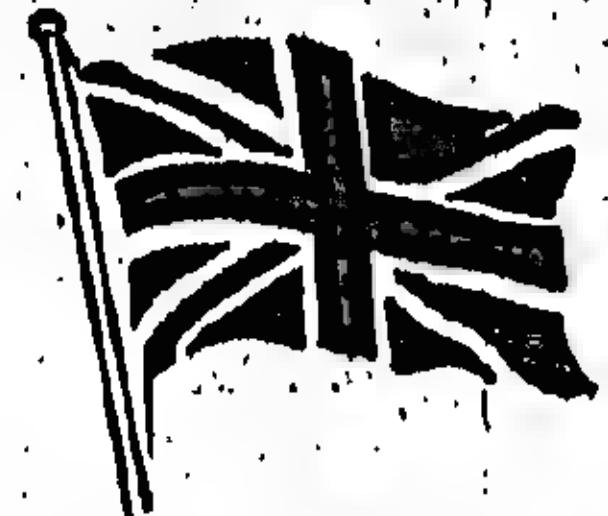
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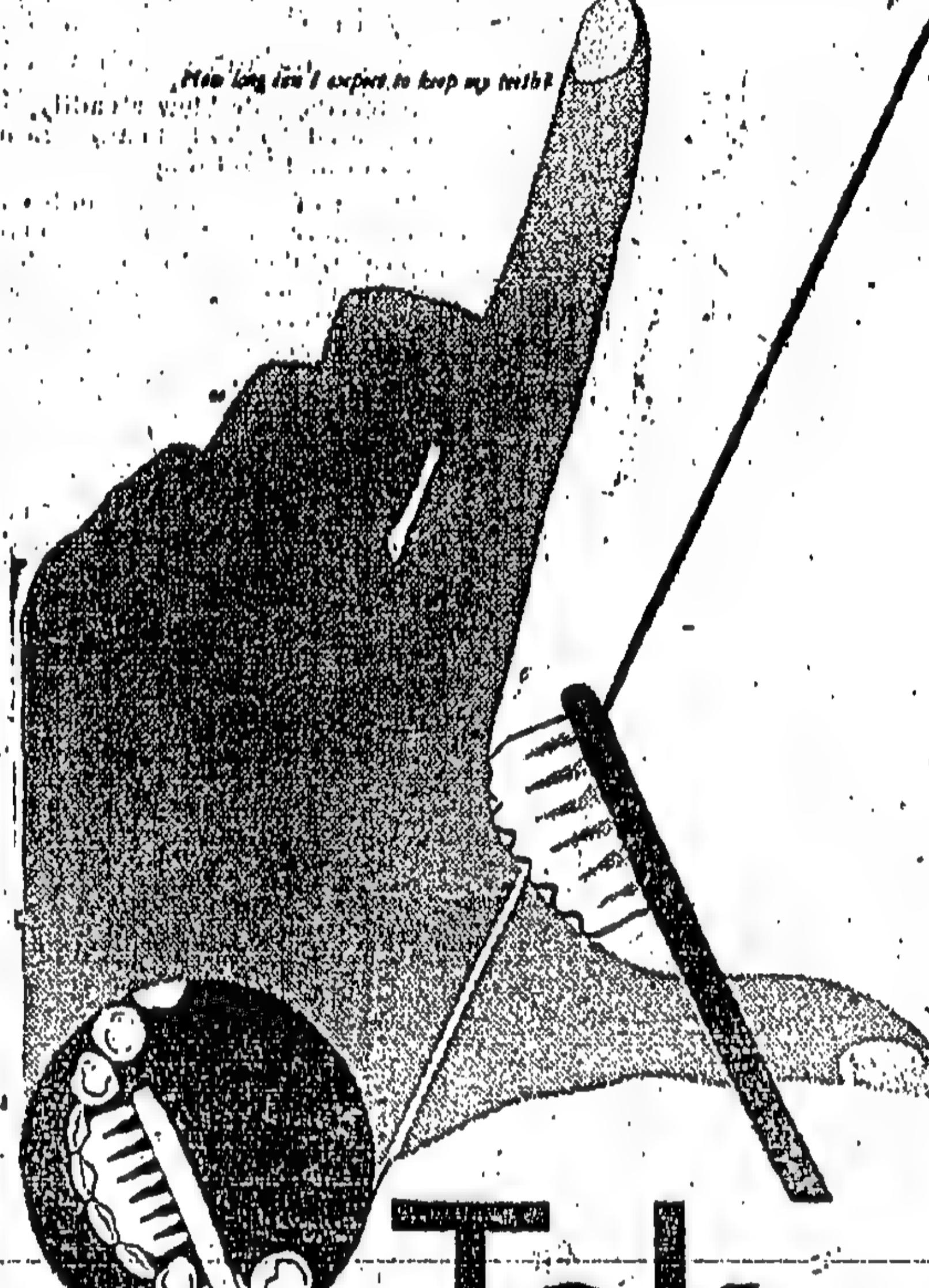
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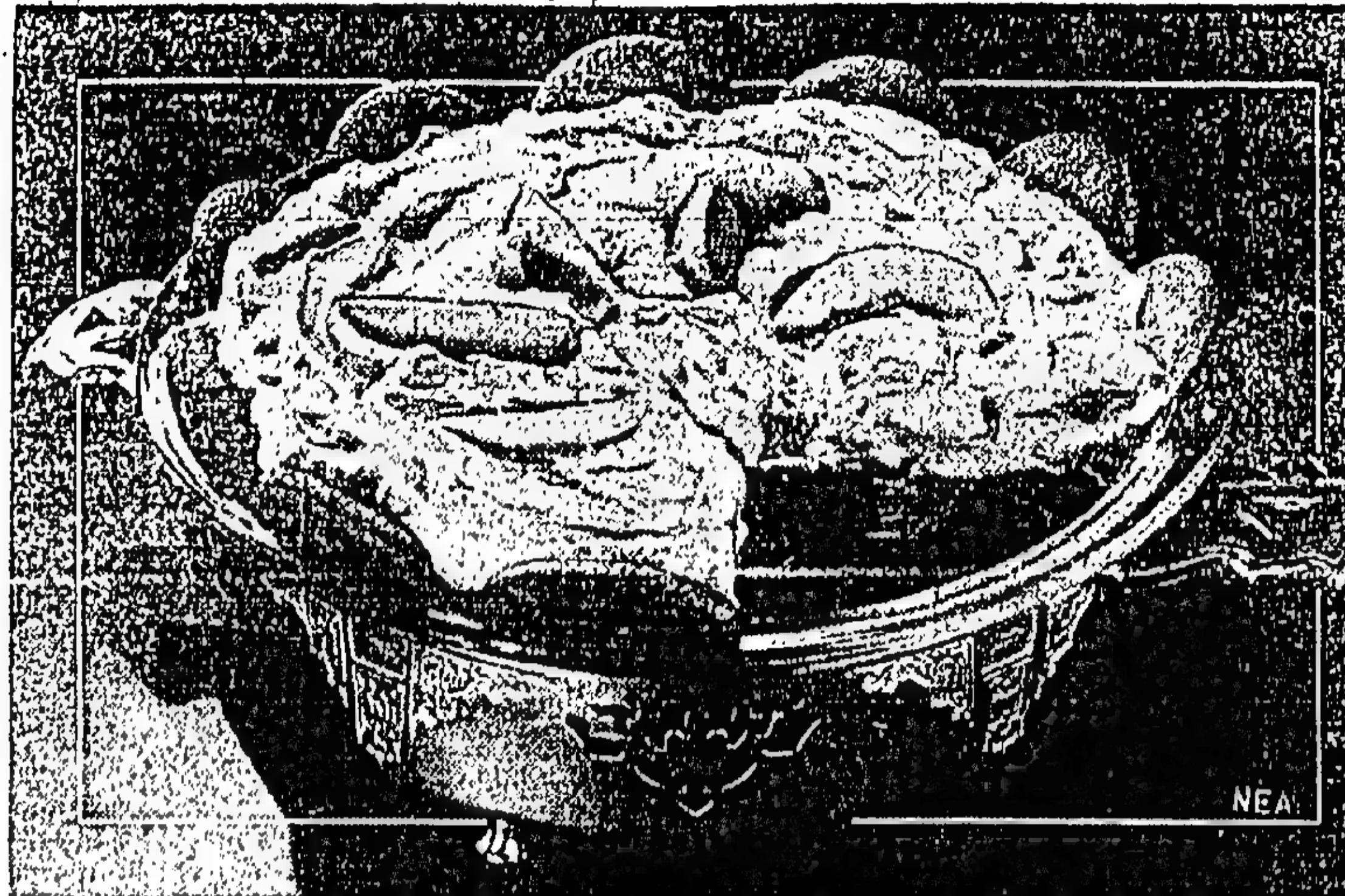
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Since the condensed milk contains milk and sugar which are already boiled down to perfect smoothness, it will thicken with the lemon juice almost instantly.

For the uncooked pie crust, roll enough vanilla wafers to make three-quarters of a cup of crumbs. Cut vanilla wafers in halves and stand them around the edge of the pie plate. Cover the bottom of the plate with crumbs and fill the spaces between the wafers.

Pour in the filling and cover with whipped cream which has been sweetened with two tablespoons of confectioner's sugar.

Put the whole thing in the ice box so that it will be thoroughly chilled when you are ready to serve.

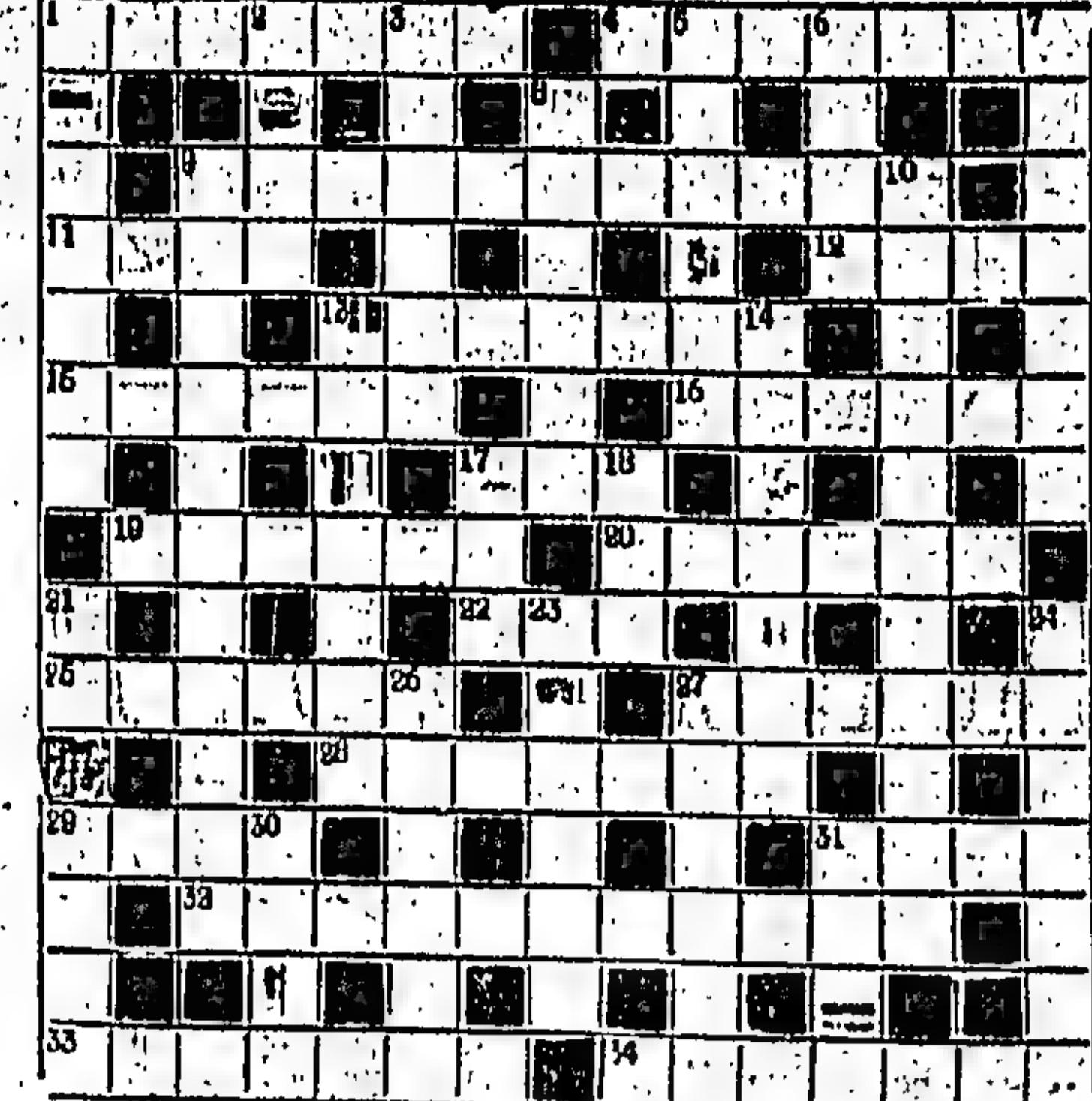
Garnish the top of the pie with slices of fresh peaches just before you are ready to take it to the table.



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"SHADOWS BY THE SEA"

A Summer Mystery BY J. JEFFERSON FARJEON

SYNOPSIS.

Leonard Setton, visiting Graverley, discovers the hotel seems deserted and the disappearance of the proprietor of the Mermaid Hotel. The story of the missing man's daughter, Jessica Vyne, intrigues him and he decides to stay till the mystery is solved. He is invited to dinner, where he meets a woman who has visited the hotel and to whom he speaks to a servant named Luigi. Luigi is found dead at the foot of the cliffs. When assistance is brought, however, the body is no longer there. The boy, story of the finding of the body, is confirmed by tracks leading from the hotel. Luigi denies having seen him. Later on, playing a hunch, Setton decides to visit a shipwrecked crew that has been left in the possession of the hotel owners, finding no accompaniment. When on board they are startled by a strange cry.

Setton also hears sounds of breathing but has a long, dark night with a companion to him for fear of alarming her and takes her back to the hotel. There where he decided to question Luigi again, it is discovered that the Italian had disappeared. Alice Vyne, the woman who has come in the party, but he thinks otherwise. While they are talking, they hear a cry from the beach.

CHAPTER X.

"The Contents of a Shed."

At first he could distinguish nothing, for the tangled tree trunks and the bunches of stubble made confusing back patches in the fading light, but soon he noticed that one of the black patches was swaying to and fro, and was of human, not vegetable, origin.

"Do you see anything?" asked Jessica's anxious voice, over his shoulder.

"Yes, I do," he replied. "Somebody's down there."

The cry rose again, and this time it was unmistakable.

"Eh!" yelled the swaying black patch. "Ooh! Eh!"

"Good Lord, it's Jim!" exclaimed Leonard. Making a cup with his hands, he called back, softly but resonantly:

"All right, Jim! Hold on! I'm coming."

A faintgulp responded.

"Mr. Setton—be careful!" gasped Jessica, as Leonard began to lower himself over the edge. "If—what happened to you?"

"It won't," he assured her. "I've spent three holidays in Switzerland, and this won't worry me. Don't be alarmed."

She longed to stay and watch the descent, feeling that the moment she took her eyes off him he would fall; but instead she turned and ran to the shed, which was only about twenty yards off. Reaching the shed, she seized a coil of rope from a stout hook, and returning to the lily-pond she made one end fast round the trunk of a tree. Then she hastened to the edge again, and looked over, her heart sick with fear. But a little cry of gladness escaped her as she saw that Leonard was climbing down carefully and steadily, while the little black patch was still swinging and swaying below him.

"Mr. Setton!" she called.

"Yes?" he called back.

"I've got a rope. One end's tied to a tree. I'm going to throw the other end down."

"Well done! But wait a second . . . Now!"

She threw the rope, and he caught it.

"I'll have that boy safe in a jiffy."

Jim was not far below. He was,

as a matter of fact, only a third

of the way down the cliff, but

when Leonard reached him he

found that the boy was hanging

over a jutting branch at a spot

where the sea was almost immedi-

ately beneath his swaying form,

while one foot had become wedged

in a hole.

"Hang on, old chap!" cried

Leonard, encouragingly. "You'll

soon be on the top, blacking boots

again."

If Jim smiled, only the ocean saw

for nothing else was in front of

his face; but it is doubtful whether

Jim did smile. He was far too

uncomfortable.

A few moments later, he felt

hands groping at his foot. There

was a sudden, shooting wrench of

pain, and then the foot was free.

A strong arm encircled him. The

sea changed its position below him,

and disappeared. For a second or

two, Jim frankly blubbed.

But he despised tears. He

thought nothing of boys who cried.

When he discovered, therefore, that

he was safe, he grinned fiercely

and pretended that the whole thing

was immense fun. He became so

light-headed, in fact, that Leonard

had to speak to him sharply to get

him to budge, nationally at all. "I comes down after it, yes see," bubbled Leonard.

"I'm sure you did," replied Jessica, as Leonard began to climb down the cliff.

"Yes, miss," answered Jim. "I sees it there. And I climbs down after it, but I slips, and just as I'm boppin' down to pick it up, I slips again, and the book goes inter the sea, and golly I thought I was goin' in after it. But I 'tis a tree, and me foot gets caught, and then I starts 'ollerin'. And then Mr. Setton comes along, and—and that's all."

"Quite enough, too, I think," commented Leonard. "So your note-book is now in the sea, eh?"

"Yessir," answered Jim, in depressed tones. "And—do you still think Luigi took it?"

"Yessir. It was like this. When I leaves yet I see, 'Loopy's took it. That's what it is. Loopy.' Cos 'e saw mo writin' in it yesterday, and 'e wanted to ave a look, but I ses, 'No, Loopy, it's privit, and 'e gets cross. So it was a easy bet 'e'd slipped it from my pocket, so I goes to find 'im, but 'e won't nowhere, so I ses to myself, 'Or right, Loopy, yours is size seven, so I'll ave ver. And I tracks 'is steps from the back door and along the path not comes 'ere, but I loses 'em on the grass, but I sees 'em again along another path and tracks 'em to the shed. But 'e ain't there, and I comes back 'ere again, and lookin' over the edge there's my note-book."

"Well—'t seems to ave' midle 'isself scarce, ain't 'e?"

"Oh, I dare say he'll soon come back again," remarked Leonard, lightly. "Meanwhile, don't worry, Jim. My advice to you is to take it easy for a bit—you've had a bit of a shaking—and then go on with your work."

"Yessir," said Jim, and rose to his feet. He was a trifle unsteady, but he managed to draw himself up to his full height—which was not much—as he added, "I did find

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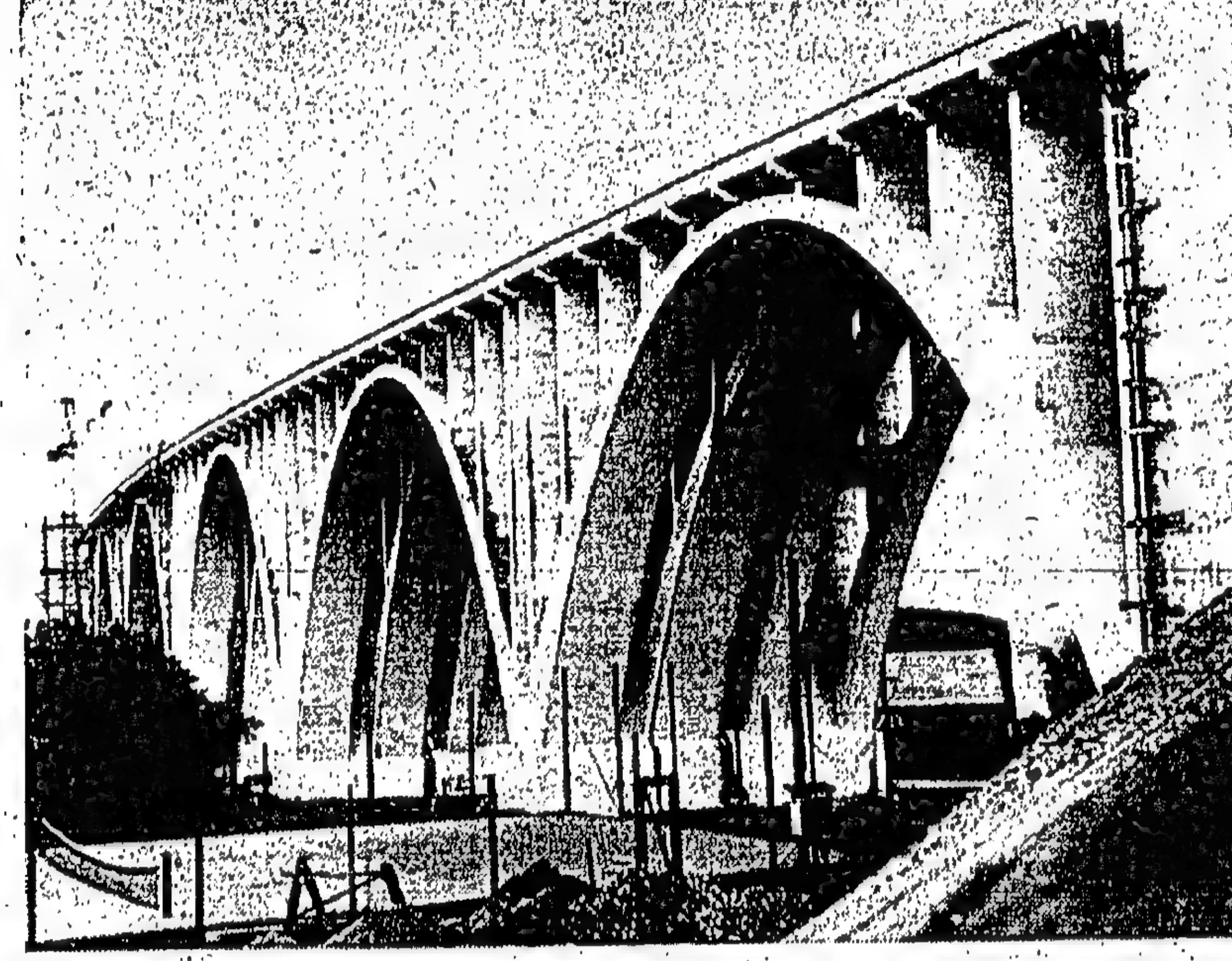
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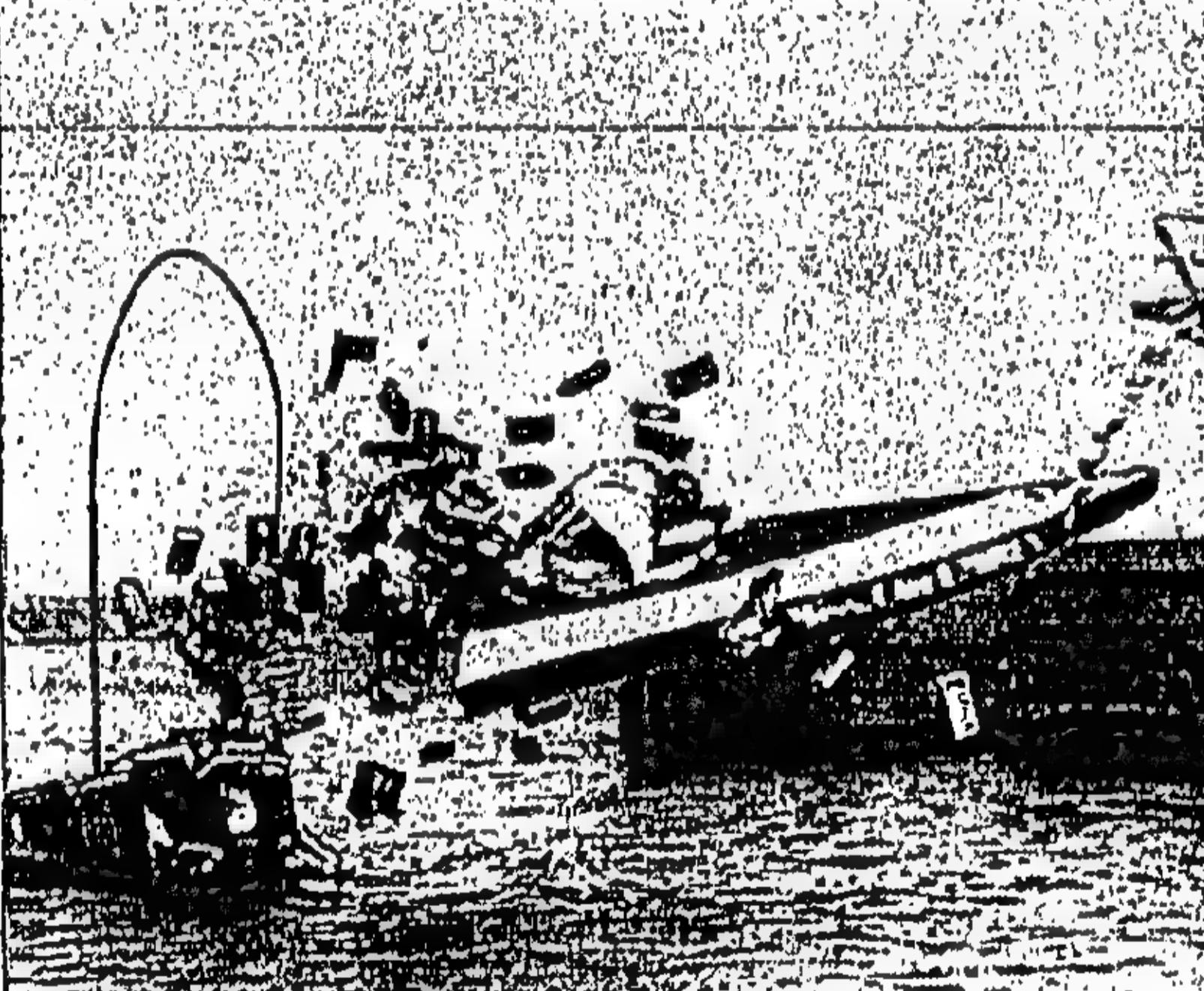
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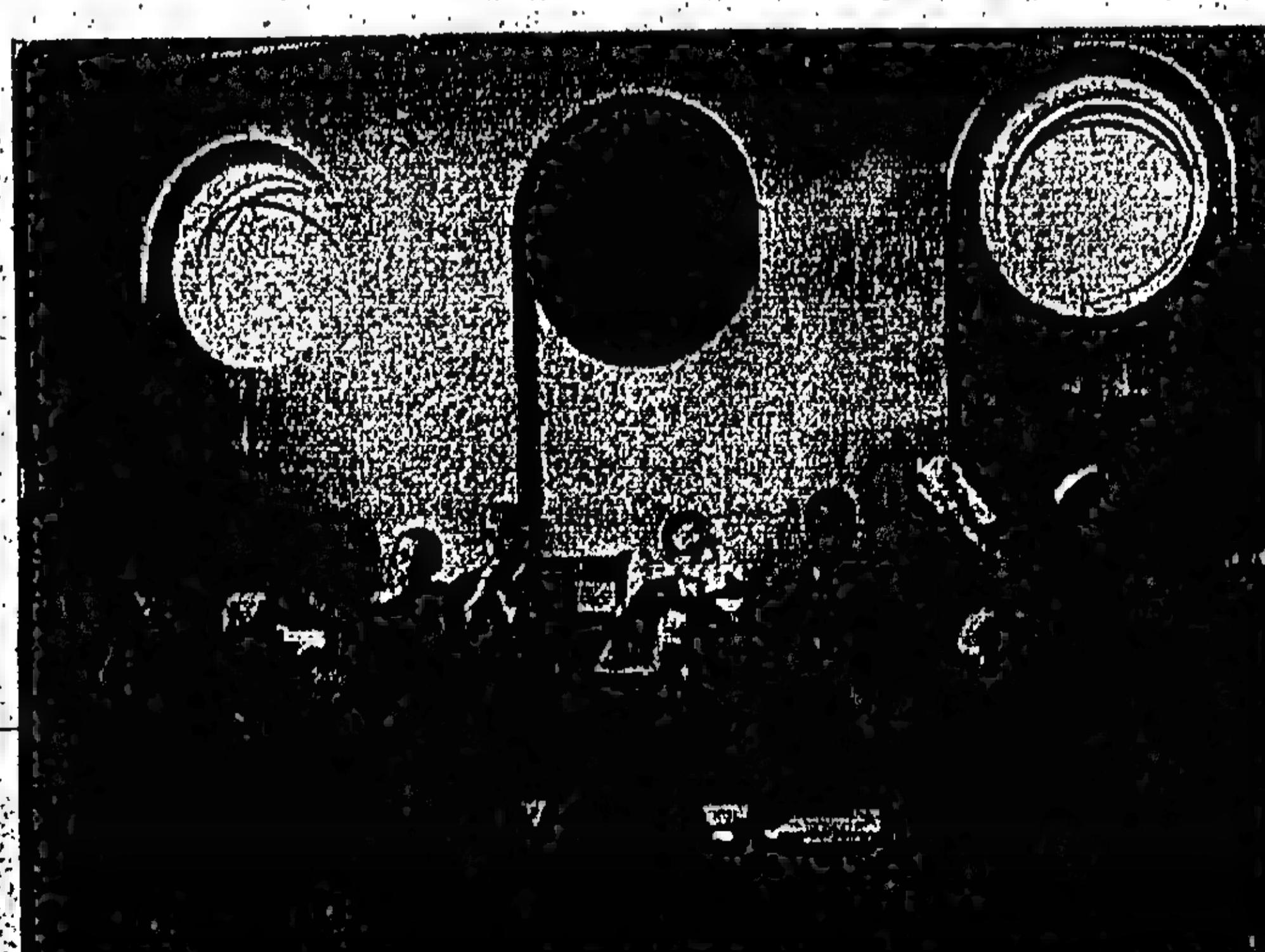
STRIKE RIOTS.—Our picture shows clothes being torn from the back of a garment worker in the fierce clash at St. Louis, America, between strikers and strikebreakers as the latter were leaving their works. A policeman is soon coming to the rescue. (Pressens Illustrations Bureau).



The work of constructing the largest bridge in Europe, over the River Lillebælt, Denmark, is progressing rapidly. This photograph shows a section of the bridge which has been completed. (Planet News).



WITH FULL SPEED.—Mr. Reggie Brown from Los Angeles amuses himself by rushing with his speedboat through an improvised brick wall on the Los Angeles Motorboat speedway. The photo shows Mr. Brown demolishing with his speedboat the brick wall. (Pressens Illustrations Bureau).



REICHSTAG FIRE INQUIRY.—Two pictures of the Reichstag Fire Inquiry composed of a Legal Commission, which met in London. On the left is a general view showing the members of the Court, reading from left to right—Dr. Branting of Sweden, Mr. Edward Garfield Huys of U.S.A., Dr. Balken-Noot of Holland, the only woman member, Mrs. D. N. Pritt, K.C.C., of England, Mr. Wald-Huys of Denmark and M. Van, Belgian. On the right the picture shows Sir Stafford Cripps, K.C.C., in the chair, as the known facts about the fire are read out. (Planet News).

CINEMA SCREENINGS

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THE THEATRES

In "Sailor's Luck" the new Fox film, opening at the King's Theatre to-day, James Dunn and Sally Eilers prove once again that they are the most vivid romantic team on the screen. The promise they gave in "Dixie Girl," the picture that lifted them both to the cinematic skies is fulfilled in generous measure by their joint performance in "Sailor's Luck."

Dunn plays the rôle of a happy-go-lucky gab, always ready to fight but always naïve in the ways of the world. Sally Eilers, as the girl who is responsible for it all, is the perfect foil. They meet quite accidentally, as is usually the case with a gab and a girl, and from then on the action is hectic and hilarious. Dunn resents the attentions that other men pay to Miss Eilers, but the girl happens to be the kind that provokes attention. She just can't help it. After a series of misadventures, and a separation provided by both the United States Navy and a quarrel of their own, the two are re-united in a climax of racy entertainment. The supporting cast is excellent in a number of character portrayals, each of which is a gem. It includes Sammi Cohen, Frank Moran, Victor Jory, Esther Muri, Will Stanich, Curley Wright, Jerry Mandy, Lucifer Littlefield, Buster Phelps and Frank Atkinson.

Raoul Walsh, the guiding genius of "What Price Glory?" and "The Cock-Eyed World," directed "Sailor's Luck" with the sure touch of a man who knows comedy when he sees it.

"The Sign of the Cross."

The day of the million-dollar spectacle-drama has returned. And, as far as Hollywood is concerned, prosperity has at last managed to get around that mythical corner.

Cecil B. DeMille's "The Sign of the Cross," a spectacle of pagan Rome in the days of Nero, cast of the Caesars, was the picture which did the trick. Like DeMille's "The Ten Commandments" and "The King of Kings," "The Sign of the Cross," which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre was produced on a gigantic scale, with thousands of players, elaborate settings and all the other luxuries that run up bills, but still audiences into a wild delight in the magnificence they are beholding.

Nearly 7,600 persons made up the cast of "The Sign of the Cross." These include Frederic March, Elissa Landi, Claudette Colbert, Charles Laughton, and others in leading roles, and thousands of "extras" who appear in Roman street scenes and in the arena in which Nero stages his bloody games.

Practically the entire Paramount ranch, comprising several score acres of land near Hollywood was converted into a section of the City of Rome as it was in Nero's day. Streets, public squares and houses were duplicated from research based on several hundred years of excavations in the Imperial City. These setting were later destroyed by fire, when DeMille filmed Nero's burning of Rome.

An elaborate Roman bath, in which Miss Colbert, as the Empress, is photographed during the course of her ablutions, was constructed from blueprints and charts of baths uncovered in recent excavations.

Most elaborate of all the settings was a duplication of the Circus Maximus a huge amphitheatre which for several hundred years was the scene of the bloody gladiatorial combat and chariot races in which the Roman populace delighted. A huge structure, the original Circus Maximus seated 150,000 persons. DeMille built a section of the grandstand large

enough to seat the 7,600 extras, as well as the entire 50,000-square-foot arena in which the games were actually conducted.

"Westward Passage"

Can a woman really love twice? Is there a true first passion ever die completely? Those are the questions asked and answered in "Westward Passage," the Ann Harding starring picture at the Central Theatre to-day.

In her superb performance as the love-tormented woman, Miss Harding is closely prosed for honours by Laurence Olivier and Irving Pichel who play husband number one and husband number two respectively.

"Westward Passage" was directed by Robert Milton and besides Miss Harding, Olivier and Pichel also in the cast are Zasu Pitts and Irene Pirelli.

"I Loved You Wednesday"

"I Loved You Wednesday," the Fox screen presentation of the successful Broadway play of the same name, with a cast of notable screen personalities, starts on Sunday at the King's Theatre. Henry King, director of "State Fair," is said to have duplicated his success with this film in which his all-star cast includes Warner Baxter, Elissa Landi, Michael Jordan, Victor Jory and Laura Hope Crews.

The story revolves around the glamorous figure of a ballet dancer Paris who, seeking to heal the wounds left by an unfortunate love affair, goes to South America to launch on a professional dancing career. There she meets a handsome engineer who falls in love with her. Their work separates them, but they meet later in New York, each of them having a measure of fame. They are about to embark on a honeymoon

trip aboard his yacht, when her Paris lover puts in a sudden appearance and complicates matters.

The manner in which four worldly-wise people meet this situation the dancer, her engineer-fiance, her former lover and his beautiful but neglected wife is said to be absorbing, and the denouement is reported as a distinct surprise.

The Midnight Follies of 1933-34.

Few travelling companies can boast the clever array of talent to be seen at the King's Theatre on Sunday when the Midnight Follies of 1933-34 hold forth. Featured in the production is a beauty chorus outstanding in ability and appearance. These clever girls sing and dance themselves into favour immediately with their modern torches.

Supporting artists are Frank Braudwood, the cowboy Bartone, in a real Western shingy act. He has won a featured attraction in all the continental and American variety theatres, besides being the husband of Kiki Watson, of the famous Watson Sisters. Frank Braudwood is a musician singer and comedian and duplicated his success with this film in which his all-star cast includes Warner Baxter, Elissa Landi, Michael Jordan, Victor Jory and Laura Hope Crews.

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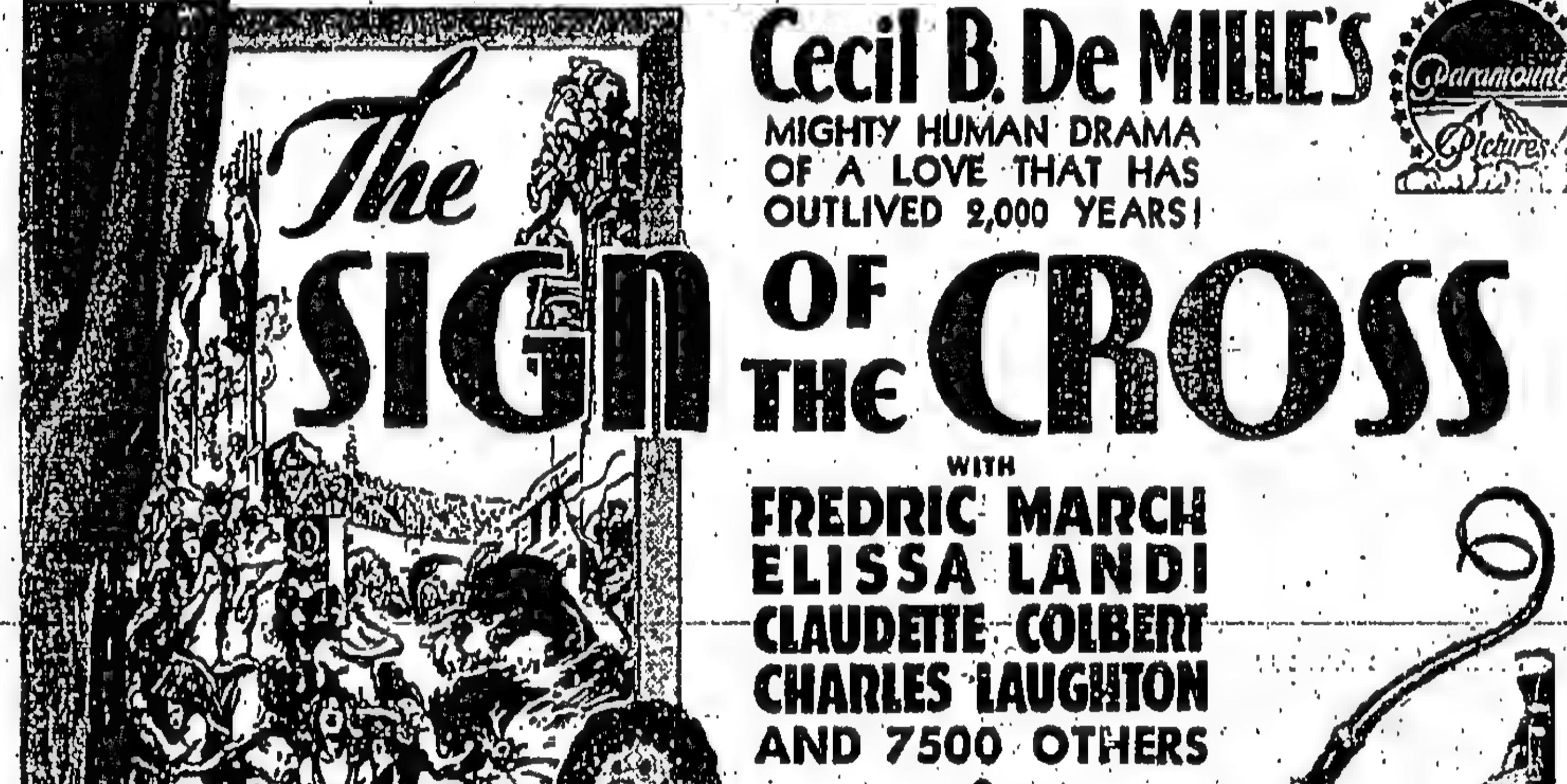
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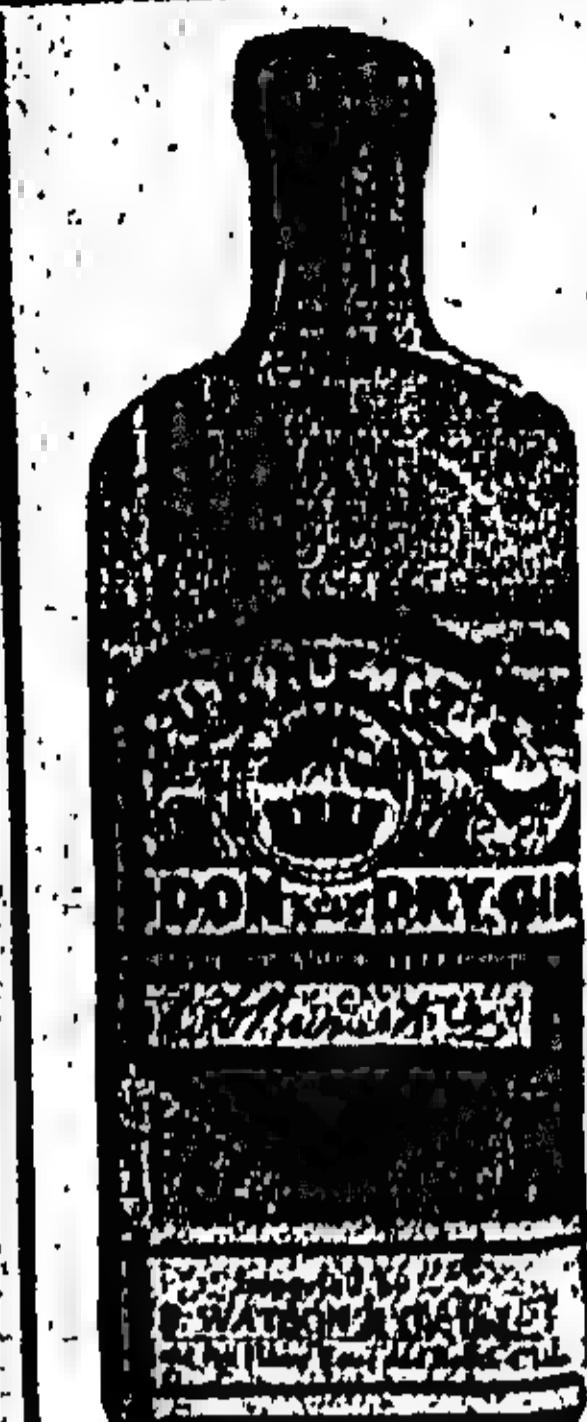


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EAST FULHAM

The results of other pending by-elections must be awaited before East Fulham will be revealed in true perspective. It seems to presage a storm that bodes no good to the National Government; other constituencies may expose it as a mere flash of summer lightning, although there are special features which suggest otherwise. It has never been a key seat in the general sense of the term, for the reason that it has always been regarded as safe for the Conservative. The late member in fact fought five successful elections there in the Conservative cause, and was only once seriously challenged by Labour and that in 1920 when the margin was more than 1,700 votes. The Labour Party at that time was at the peak of its popularity. To-day it is in the doldrums and yet comes through with a brilliant success in this supposedly safe Tory seat. The event, indeed, must be viewed more seriously than had East Fulham been a key seat, pending the lessons to be derived from other important by-elections to be held in the next week or two. Then only will it be possible to judge whether East Fulham marks the commencement of the break-up of the National Government. For that is the obvious inference from so startling a result. It looks suspiciously like the writing on the wall, even while it may be pointed out that somewhat similar suspicions have been entertained before. Beneath the surface, in fact, there have been frequent and clear signs of a tendency towards disintegration. Sir Herbert Samuel's defection was the first pointer. Latterly, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has been the subject of overt and covert attacks; in some quarters it has been quietly suggested that he be given a peerage and sent to the United States as Britain's Ambassador! His successor? Few have dared to make a suggestion, but those who have considered the prospect of an end to the present regime and found it good, have not seriously entertained the idea that Mr. Baldwin should be the next occupant of No. 10, Downing Street. The fever of haste has been getting a grip upon England and Mr. Baldwin, who would be a stickler for Parliamentary methods, would merely constitute a brake upon the ambitious. British politics to-day warrant careful study. There are steadily increasing signs of impatience with the slow-grinding Parliamentary system. Had the National

NOTES OF THE DAY SHOP LOUD-SPEAKERS

A little more peace and quiet may be brought to the Chinese business quarter by the new anti-noise measure now before Legislative Council. It is designed to prohibit shop advertisements by broadcasts, usually consisting of the amplification by radio appliances of a rancorous voice, and it is a stop that will be generally applauded. After the experience of the last twelve months, it would not be surprising to find the shopkeeper as pleased as anyone at the prohibition. The din in Queen's Road in the evening is nerve-wracking for the passer-by. The effect upon the occupants of the shops concerned is better imagined than experienced.

IMITATION

The rapid growth of this "modern" method of salesmanship was inevitable once the originators had been allowed to let themselves go to the limit without police interference. Amongst the slightest acquaintance with Chinese business methods must have foreseen the phonograph result. If initiative costs money it is wasteful, for if Mr. Pun Tit Installs three loud speakers on his counter, his rivals do likewise; if he puts in a loud-speaker and employs another loud-speaker to shout his wares, there are rows of loud-speakers and a chorus of shouts in the twinkling of an eye. When all traders are similarly equipped, the new attraction is valueless; they might just as well have none; and when the "attraction" means a fearful noise and congestion in the streets, none should be permitted. But there is not likely to be any trouble about compliance with the new Ordinance when it is passed. If John Trador is satisfied that John Neighbour is also to give up the nightly blare, he will scrap his own instrument of nuisance with all good will and quiet contentment.

WAR DEBTS AND THE FARMER

Mr. Henry Wallace, the United States Secretary of Agriculture, is showing an understanding of war debts which does credit to himself and his position. In an article in the *United States News* on the debts, he ignores deep-rooted prejudices and shows the farmers of the middle West and South, simply and convincingly, where their interest lies. Capitol Hill shivers in its boots at the mildest suggestion of looking into these debts. Ninety-nine per cent. of the congressional entente on this subject has been exhortation of Europe. Even an Administration which takes "first things first" has receded from making suggestions to Congress about this politically dangerous question. The Secretary, therefore, when he makes a frank and earnest statement, does the world a good turn.

LOGIC OF THE ISSUE

If we wanted Europe to pay her debts to us, says Mr. Wallace, we should logically have encouraged to ship her goods here. If the agricultural South and the agricultural Midwest wanted to see those war debts and private debts repaid, then our farmers plainly should have clamoured for lower tariffs to let European goods in. I don't remember hearing such a clamour. . . . Our refusal to be as a creditor nation logically should . . . has been particularly disastrous to the South and the middle West. Through the failure of the farmers to make the clamour, not to speak of the scorching criticisms they generally directed against Europe, they have rendered useless from 80,000,000 to 50,000,000 acres of their land. These acres being useless, it was necessary to devise some scheme for supporting agriculture until world markets are regained. The Agricultural Adjustment Act was the scheme hit upon and Mr. Wallace thinks it is not inconsistent with a programme for recovering lost markets. But to do that the United States must settle the war debts' question. When will the Middle West see its own interest, discard prejudices, and permit the Government to make a rational settlement?

Government come back prepared in its third year to prosecute a vigorous policy—having got its second wind, so to speak—there would have been little diminution of its bucking in the country. But the slum clearance policy is not enough, and the new unemployment insurance proposals are likely to arouse more censure than satisfaction. In England to-day there is a feeling that the National Cabinet having worked hard and succeeded so well for two years has exhausted itself and needs a rest. There is a compliment there; but also a criticism, and it is the sort of criticism that is most damaging.

ARE LANDLORDS TO BE PITIED?

THEIR TENANTS SAY "NO!"

By C. V. L. for the Telegraph

enough to close their eyes to realities and emulate Oliver Twist in another sense, by "asking for more" from their tenants. They are psychologically of a type hard to convince, as they seem to lose sight of the fact that what a small shopkeeper or wage earner five or ten years ago could then afford, is now being asked for in undue proportion to a reduced income. The consequence for these selfish property owners has been, as in one case we know of, that he loses his tenants. In the case singled out as one of many, the tenants left in a body, without being seriously inconvenienced by a wide selection of unoccupied tenements.

It would be interesting, as a record of this overbuilding, to have a complete return of the number of buildings, in many cases still unoccupied since their completion a year, or even two years ago. Signs of this arrested development are very apparent in Mongkok, Shamshui Po, Laichikok and other outlying districts, where as can well be imagined, a tenant may be welcomed on his own terms, if only to save the buildings from being pulled to pieces by that creature as prominent as the ubiquitous white ant—the tmeving vandals who is not above tearing the very shutters from their hinges.

SHARE, AND SHAKE ALIKE.

The present appeal for public relief is against a capacity tax on party-occupied buildings, and if carried there, will bring about no general disagreement. But in applying it also to old buildings as appears to have been done, it has called for a ready retreat from tenants. It may sound harsh but it is not unfair to translate in the following terms: "It is just as well that these old houses remain empty; they are regular death traps in case of a fire." Tenants are understood to have pointed out in addition, that these old buildings, having yielded a sufficiently long return in rents, the present seems to be the ideal period for reconstruction and replacement by more suitable structures.

AN ORDINARY RISK

Darlings, I must tell you about a

joke I played on my wife last week. Very foolishly I left "Eve's" name and telephone number in my coat pocket overnight last Tuesday.

"Edward," my wife asked next morning, "who is Eve and what does 26616 mean?" "Arabella," I replied.

"Why, didn't I tell you?" "Eve is the name of a horse I backed at Happy Valley last Saturday. It paid a dividend of \$200. Horse's \$100."

Wasn't that clever of me. But I must tell you what happened afterwards. When I went home that night, Arabella greeted me with

"Edward, that horse you backed on Saturday rang you up three times to-day!"

MR. RUTTONJEE'S SECRET

I simply adore the way Mr. Ruttonjee makes beer. Next time I see him

I must ask him for the recipe so that I can pass it on to you. Mr. Ruttonjee, who I think is one of the most

handsome men in Hongkong, has a

beautiful building out near the Tan

Mill Beach. Everyone who visits the

place looks so wonderfully happy and gay—it's a pity most of us cannot get away from the humdrum of the city more often to visit him.

THE FOOTBALL MATCH

I loved the Football last Saturday.

I think it was just too divinely

ecstatically marvellous the way the

Hongkong Club beat the Navy Fifteen.

The spectators were very "select,"

the sailors all looking beautiful in

their autumn rigouts. For the win-

ning side, J. J. Ferguson looked like

in his blue and white sweater, with white

knickers to match. Doc. Soby had an exquisitely divine black eye, which

was caused by the elbow of a sailor.

MacWhirter and a Friend

ST. ANDREW'S NIGHT

Of course, you all know our

next big event in Hongkong is going

to be St. Andrew's Ball. And now,

dears, I'm going to let you in on a

secret. Robert MacWhirter is secret-

ly breeding a litter of haggis, and

declares that he is going to put the

"Once Over" all the competitors this

year and carry off the prize. Speak-

ing of Scotsmen, someone told me the

other day that bagpipes weren't po-

ular to Scotland. They're just

peculiar. But, after all, girls we

must forgive Scotch people their

old sayings—MacWhirter and I are rea-

lly warm pals (purely platonic, dears!) and I often abuse his kind-

ness by pestering him for an advance

in the middle of the month.

A HAPPY ENDING

And now, dears, before I finish, I

must tell you about the story of the

park-keeper's daughter, who

EANGI!

Ow-wow-wow-wow—

PROOF OF GERMAN AGGRESSIONESS

HITLER'S CHALLENGE

NAZI ENTHUSIASM IN COLOGNE AREA

THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Cologne, Oct. 26.
The visit of Herr Hitler to Cologne to address an election meeting to-day evoked a remarkable demonstration of popular enthusiasm.

Long before the hour fixed for the meeting, thousands of people poured in to Cologne from the surrounding countryside, every train arriving being crowded to overflowing.

In the town itself, every house was decorated with flags and the streets were thronged with people.

SPEECHES DROWNED.

The introductory speeches in the spacious exhibition buildings were inaudible, in the storm of cries "Hail Hitler!"

Punctuated by rounds of applause, Herr Hitler's speech was largely a reiteration of his Berlin address of October 24, and he repeated his challenge to the world to show proof of German aggressiveness.

Hitler again asserted that Germany is solely actuated by a longing for peace and reconciliation.

ELECTION ARRANGEMENTS.

It has been officially announced by Captain Goering, Reich Minister of the Interior, that in order to ensure that the perfect fairness of the election on November 12 will be clearly apparent, reliable men outside the Nazi Party will co-operate in the electoral organisation, while the votes will be counted publicly.

Surprise, meanwhile, has been created by the fact that the name of Herr Hugenberg, appears on the Governmental electoral list which is now being prepared.

ROUTER.

JINGOISM DENOUNCED.

Emphatically denouncing jingoism and re-affirming once more Germany's passionate and genuine desire for peace, Chancellor Adolf Hitler, at the foot of the monument erected in honour of those who died in the great wars of liberation, spoke to thousands of Storm Troopers at Kelheim on Sunday, the report of this gathering being the alleged cause of the arrest of Mr. Noel Panter, the Munich correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph*.

"We who have been in the trenches for 4½ years know how dreadful and heavy are the burdens which war places on a nation," the Nazi leader said. "We are probably best qualified to distinguish between cheap jingoism and a real and profound connexion with the own people. The German people do not long for war. On the contrary, because they love peace, they are fighting for their very existence and continuance. Our aim is to make our people happy again, to give them work and bread again and the world should leave us alone. We want nothing but peace, but we refuse to be degraded."

REALISABLE TREATIES.

We frankly tell the world, if you wish to have us at international conferences, if you want to have us in the League of Nations we are agreeable, but only if you recognise us as a nation.

"We were, and are, at all times ready to sign treaties, if they could be realised and if they are in conformity with our feeling for right and justice. We want peace, but the world must know that, in the long run, this ever-lasting degradation of our people cannot be endured. There is no better guarantee for the cause of peace than the determined unity of the German nation."

What else, the Chancellor emphasised, can 60,000,000 people crowded together on a narrow base, with millions of lives and homes destroyed, with millions of people out of work, desire but work in peace and to see the light again?

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

CLUB TEAM TO MEET THE ARMY

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club against the Army XV at the Sookum-poo Ground, to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. J. P. Whitham; J. J. Ferguson, W. H. B. Rice, R. H. Griffiths, G. P. Lammert; A. F. Jenkins, J. A. R. Solby (captain); J. H. Bradford, D. McLellan, S. H. Garrod, G. C. Moutte, A. F. Walkden, D. C. Cumming, G. A. Stewart and K. A. Munro.

Reserves: R. Stillard, F. R. Burch; H. C. Meekie, J. Hutchinson.

DRIVERS WHO "GO SOME"

MAGISTRATE ON KOWLOON TRAFFIC

AN UNREPORTED ACCIDENT

"Since I have been over here, I have noticed that lorry drivers do 'go some' on this side," said Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when dealing with two lorry drivers who were summoned for driving at excessive speeds. One was alleged to have driven at 32 miles an hour and the other at 31. Fines of \$15 were imposed on each.

A traffic accident in Kowloon in the early hours of October 16 was recalled when E. C. Funk was summoned for failing to report it.

It was alleged that the defendant knocked down two traffic posts at the junction of Argyle Street and Nathan Road and failed to make a report until he discovered that he was wanted by the Police.

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"There came a time when the Flying Horse became voracious and at night ran down from his high place and devoured the unfortunate walkers in Statue Square. This happened for many months and the belly of the beast was fed by many people, and it was not safe to walk alone at night there."

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A Legend Of Modern Hongkong

ILLITERATE LORE

"Now these are the words of Ho Hiu-sang, an Elder of the people and well learned in the wisdom of the ancients."

"It is recorded in the legends and it has been seen by all believers that a lion and a unicorn, so-called by the western people, took up their abode one time long ago on a high building which was called 'at Wu Tong' and was the City Hall of the foreign devils.

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UNLICENCED CAR

MR. B. L. GUTIERREZ SUMMONED

Summoned before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning for having failed to licence his private car, B. L. Gutierrez was fined \$10.

Mr. J. B. Frentis, appeared for defendant, and pleaded guilty saying that it was an oversight on the part of his client and that the license had since been taken out.

DANGEROUS DRIVING.

Yuen Wai-kai, a public car driver, was fined \$25 for having driven in a dangerous manner in Wai-kai.

Sub-Inspector Rogers said that the defendant came up from behind a stationary tram and cut in between it and an on-coming car. To avoid collision he swerved into a side street. He had three passengers in the car.

Ng Kal-cheung, another public car driver, summoned for a similar offence, was also fined \$25.

Sergeant Jamieson said that the case arose through a rush of public cars to pick up a fare in Queen's Road, West. Defendant reversed his vehicle about twenty yards, and then collided with another public car.

Their third number is to be a novelty dance, and, although they are keeping its form a strict secret, I am in the position to reveal that it will be something worth while.—S.A.G.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"MAXIMS DO NOT COUNT FOR MUCH UNLESS YOU KNOW HOW TO USE THEM."—John N. Wiltys.

So Cheung, a returned banished, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour b" Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning. The man was banished for ten years in March this year.

After exhaustive inquiries, police no longer entertain the theory that an Indian or coloured man was concerned in the alarm raised at the Victoria Square home of Viscount Ratenden by Miss Flattau.

To-morrow, St. Simon and St. Jude's Day, marks the first anniversary of the Consecration of The Right Reverend Ronald Owen Hall, Bishop of Hongkong, the Consecration having taken place in St. Paul's Cathedral, London last year on this day. Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. John's Cathedral tomorrow at 7.45 a.m.; the Celebrant being the Bishop. It is hoped that a good number will be present.

There was a clean bill of health in the Colony on Wednesday, so far as regards notifiable diseases.

Whilst sharpening a knife at Koon-choon Market, in the New Territories yesterday, Wong Leo, aged 58, fell backwards from a stool and struck his head on the ground. The injury resulted in his death after admission to the Kowloon Hospital.

A fine of \$50 or one month's hard labour was imposed by Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning charged with taking part in the transfer of a bat, aged about three months, for a valuable consideration, on October 23 last.

Detective-Inspector Elston produced the Attorney General's consent to the prosecution. He said the two women brought the bat to Hongkong and sold him to another woman.

Chun Fung, widow, living at 29, Cross Street, said she purchased the child from the two defendants, the price agreed being \$5. She paid \$5 as deposit. The child stayed with her for two nights.

The hearing was adjourned to Tuesday morning.

NAVY DAY PLANS

PROGRAMME FOR TO-MORROW

AMUSEMENT PARK FOR KIDDIES

To-morrow the Senior Service will be at Home in the Royal Naval Dockyard on the occasion of Navy Day.

From 1.30 p.m. until 6 p.m. the public will have the opportunity of inspecting the different types of naval craft, and watching an aerial display, while the kiddies will find everything to amuse them in an amusement park which is to be laid out on the football ground.

The first half of the programme

will comprise Crossing the Line on the West Wall East, destroyers in action in the Basin, Howitzers display and Crossing the line on the West Wall East. An aircraft display will take place during the ten intervals.

Chemical performances are to take

place in the Dockyard Garage, and

naval divers can be seen at work in

the North-east corner of the Basin.

The amusement park will include an

aerial railway, Aunt Sallie, chutes and

a general playground for

children.

Vessels which will be thrown

open for inspection will be H.M.S.

Eagle, H.M.S. Suffolk, six destroyers,

one or two submarines and one

of the river gunboats.

While the

public are waiting to go on board

periodic talks on the capabilities of

the submarine will be given by one

of the submarine officers.

Tugs will be served aboard the

Tamar and the Eagle and other

places in the Yard.

Music will be provided by military

bands on the football ground

and on the Dockyard wall in the

south-east corner of the basin, the

band of H.M.S. Suffolk on the

Tamar, the band of H.M.S. Borewick

at the head of the dry dock and of

H.M.S. Eagle in the hangar.

The public will not, under any

circumstances, be permitted to take

cameras into the Dockyard.

The price of admission (\$1)

covers entrance to the Dockyard,

visits to H.M. Ships and views of

all displays. No extra charge will

be made except for refreshments,

entrance to side shows on the

Dockyard Football Ground and for

special boat trips.

THE "BLUES"

REPEAT EXHIBITION YESTERDAY

Repeating by special request London's latest Blues, Mr. J. A. Andrew and Miss Ursula Preston yesterday entertained another huge crowd at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

The slow dance is rapidly becoming the favourite among local Chinese dancers and there was no mistaking the enthusiasm in their greeting of the demonstrators' exposition of the Blues, one of the most graceful of all dances.

This afternoon Mr. Andrew and Miss Preston make their final appearance at the Hotel tea dances, and a record crowd is anticipated.

To-morrow evening they open a session at the Peninsula Hotel, when in company with Don and Sally, they will give three numbers.

Their third number is to be a novelty dance, and, although they are keeping its form a strict secret, I am in the position to reveal that it will be something worth while.—S.A.G.

ALLEGED SALE OF CHILD

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They change so fast, there should be

a new picture at least once a year,

for photographs of the children never

grow up.

Make an appointment to-day.

THE MING YUEN STUDIO

17, Queen's Road Central (First Floor).

THESE CRICKET TRIALS

WHY THEY ARE SO FUTILE

SELECTING A H.K. ELEVEN

ATTACK LACKS VIRILITY

By "The Stumper."

This being the eve of the third and final trial to assist the Selection Committee in picking a Hongkong XI to play against Shanghai and Malaya in the forthcoming Triangular Inter-port, I have chosen the moment to commence my cricket notes. Interest in cricket must be centred, for the next month at least, on the inter-port matches, and I propose to discuss Hongkong's prospects and players in this article.

After the form shown by some of the leading local players at the end of the last cricket season, I must confess to a feeling of disappointment at the exhibition of most of them during the trials. I walked away not only disappointed, but also with a conviction that trials were not a bit of good and that no harm could be done by scrapping them in future. What good are trials if they did not show you a man's real capabilities?

OBSESSION WHICH DESTROYS.

Have you noticed a normally good batsman going to the wicket with only one thought in his mind—to impress the Selection Committee at any cost? and this becoming such an obsession that he fails to do himself justice? That seems to be the matter with most of our younger players at the trials.

But I am one of the staunchest supporters of this "Inter-port Nots" scheme, which was started some years ago. Under this scheme, candidates for inter-port honours are allowed to practice at these nots and the Selection Committee are given an opportunity of watching them in action. I think this is a very sound idea and offers a good chance of gauging a player's capabilities.

But since it has been decreed that we must have trials, let us discuss what we have learned from the last two. To begin with, it has to be admitted that whilst we are in a happy position as regards batsmen, we are definitely weak in attack. It is not so much that we are short of bowlers, as that we lack variety.

NOT GOOD ENOUGH.

F. D. Pereira, F. Goodwin, A. C. Hamilton, G. C. Garthwaite and E. R. Duckitt are all more or less the same type. Then we have perhaps our best bowler in A. R. Minu, who is left-handed; G. C. Burnett, a clever medium pacid bowler who flights the ball very well; and slow bowlers in A. H. Madar, T. A. Pearce and H. Owen Hughes. Even so I am afraid this attack is not good enough to dismiss the visiting teams cheaply.

E. O. Fincher's position as opening batsman seems to be quite safe. He is by far our best opening batsman. By his display in the second trial, Duckitt increased his chances of inclusion considerably. I think he should partner Fincher as Hongkong's opening pair. We have not yet seen T. A. Pearce at the trials, and report has it that he is not quite fit. He showed enough last year to prove that, if fit, he should fill the No. 3 position. He is also a fine bowler, and it would be a pity if he cannot take part.

A batsman who has been in the limelight lately is Capt. P. V. Williams. I watched him at the trials and admired his quick foot-work and wonderful leg-splits. I recommend any young player wishing to learn the leg-splits to study him. He gave me the impression that he is rather weak on the off, but he seems to be able to make runs. I think he should be included.

THE CAPTAINCY.

Two Army players who seem to have about the same claims for inclusion are Lt. Hamilton, of the South Wales Borderers, and Lt. Garthwaite, of the Royal Artillery. Both did well in the League last season, but the latter has not performed anything of note in the trials. Both are all-rounders—two of the best in Hongkong—but the Borderers man has the advantage of previous experience in inter-port cricket.

The care of captaincy will probably fall on the shoulders of A. W. Hayward, but on form alone I doubt if he is worth his place in the side. Of course his experience of inter-port cricket would be a great asset to the side. He is not the Hayward of old, particularly in his fielding which has become sluggish.

Although H. Owen Hughes made a half century last Saturday, his innings did not impress me at all. His

SOUTH CHINA RETURN TO THE ARENA

SAINTS' 100 PER CENT IN DANGER

KOWLOON DUE TO WIN

CLUB WITHOUT FOGWELL & HYNES

WRIGHT RETURNS TO TEAM

(By "Veritas".)

Apart from one or two attractive ties to-morrow, chief interest in league football this week-end is to be found in the return to the arena of South China, who, fresh from their successes in Nanking and Shanghai, entertain St. Joseph's on Sunday.

And unless a 48 hours sea trip has robbed the champions of their legs, or St. Joseph's can show they have learnt a thing or two during the absence of their opponents, I feel that the Saints are going to have their 100 per cent. record spoilt.

St. Joseph's were not a little lucky to retain the much-coveted record last week and as they cannot expect to be treated so generously by the South China forwards as they were by the Kowloon sharpshooters (1), the defence will have to be at its very best to remain intact.

If nothing else the occasion should offer A. V. Goanno unlimited scope to reveal his abilities, and there is small doubt that he will seize the opportunities with both hands, for "A.V." never worries about the odds.

South China can rest assured that a warm welcome will await them from their enthusiastic supporters, who for three weeks now have been denied the sight of their favourites in action.

It should be an entertaining match, for say what you will, St. Joseph's have tons of good football in them,

Interport Cricket Teams

—Official

LOCAL SELECTION COMMITTEE

The first official announcement of the Shanghai and Malaya Interport cricket teams has been made by the Hongkong Cricket Club this morning.

In addition the selection committee of the Hongkong eleven has been made known. It comprises Messrs. R. H. B. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, A. W. Hayward and H. Owen-Hughes.

The two visiting teams are as follows:

SHANGHAI.

D. W. Leach (Captain)
R. Booth
J. A. Isaacs
J. C. Jenkins
P. Madar
J. F. N. Mayhew
J. L. Rawsthorne
P. V. Simpson
A. C. Sinclair
L. Stokes
T. W. R. Wilson
H. T. Smith (Manager)
F. E. T. Marshall (May come).

MALAYA.

R. N. Hamilton (Captain)
L. Alvis
D. C. Burn
F. L. Lt. V. Croome, R. A. F.
R. G. Gibson
B. S. Gill
W. O. Jonklaas
R. B. Lewis
R. Morgan, R. A. F.
C. A. Spoldewinde
Edu Chow (Talk)
G. Willis
W. W. Dean (Umpire)
W. D. Charlton (Scorer).

was terribly dull at first, but livened up towards the end when he showed glimpses of his old form—paradoxically enough when the light was getting bad. He is of course a brilliant slips fielder and quite a useful change bowler.

Of the fast bowlers, I would prefer Pereira to Goodwin if it came to a choice between them. The younger man is faster and also a better fielder, while he can be depended upon to make runs if necessary.

A. R. Minu, in my opinion, should be one of the first choices. He is bowling at the top of his form at the moment.

As regards the position of wicket-keeper, the name of G. S. Dunkley suggests itself. He is undoubtedly the best man we have.

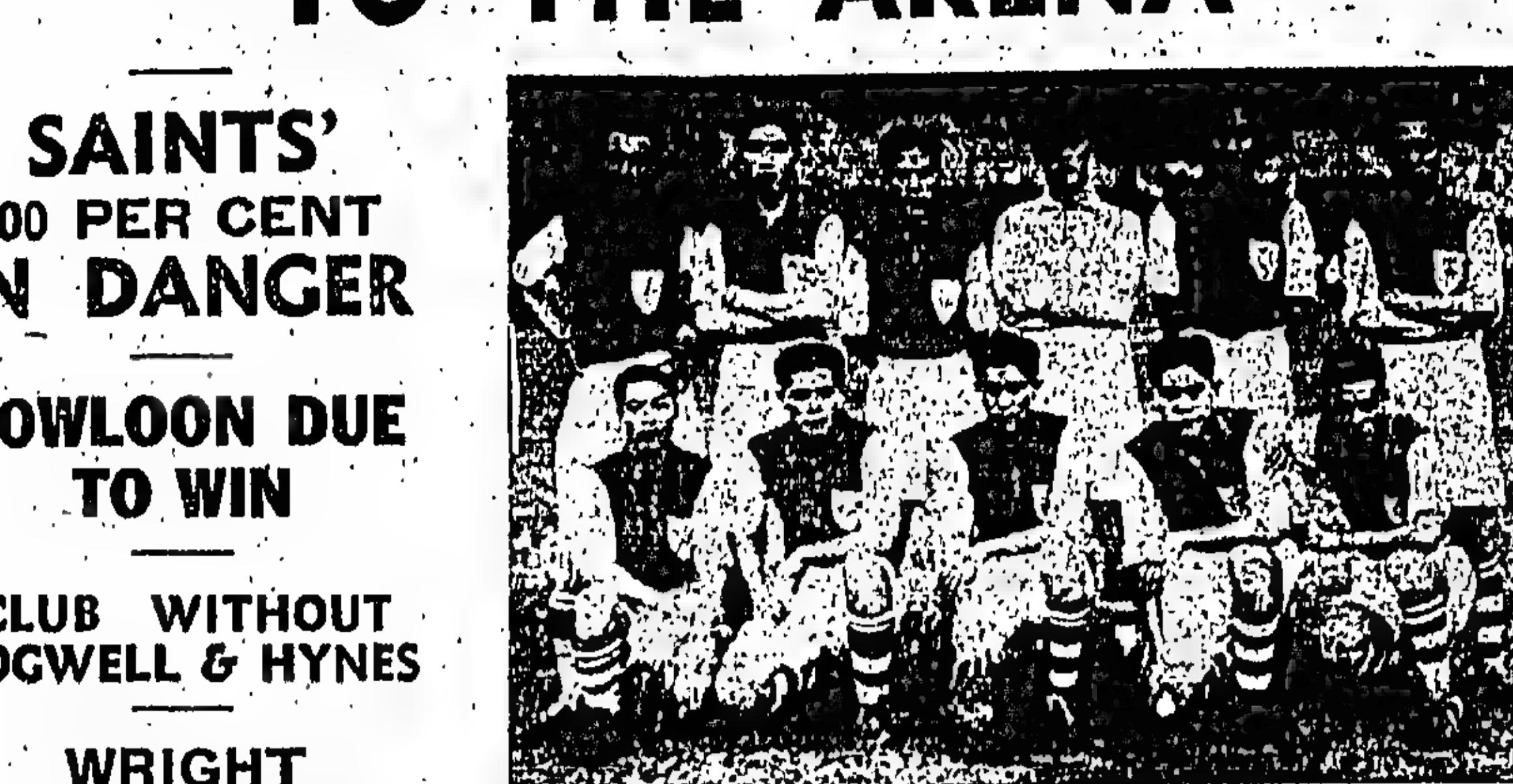
TWO ENEMIES.

There are two men whom I cannot forget. They are E. F. Fincher and A. H. Madar, both ex-interporters. They are two of the best club batsmen in the Colony, but invariably fall in trial-matches. It is because they have not got that "big match temperament"! But when Madar made 69 in Shanghai in 1932, and saved Hongkong from defeat, Madar was bowled first ball on Saturday and E. F. Fincher collected six runs after struggling for over 30 minutes. But Madar is also a reliable slow bowler and will lend variety to the attack should he be included.

The following are my selections for the Hongkong XI, in their order of batting:—

E. C. Fincher (R.C.C.)
R. R. Duckitt (H.K.C.C.)
T. A. Pearce (H.K.C.C.)
P. V. Williams (Army)
A. C. Hamilton (Army)
H. Owen Hughes (H.K.C.C.),
capt.
G. C. Garthwaite (Army)
F. D. Pereira (I.R.C.)
G. C. Burnett (H.K.C.C.)
A. R. Minu (I.R.C.)
G. S. Dunkley (H.K.C.C.)
A. H. Madar (I.R.C.), 12th man.

This side includes seven really good batsmen, and has a tail which can wag very vigorously should the occasion demand. We will see some fireworks if Pereira, Minu and Burnett get going. As a fielding side, it can hardly be improved upon.



South China return to their senior league programme tomorrow, and here is the team which is expected to be on duty. Standing: Li Tin-sang, Laung Lin-chas, Lai Kwoh-wai, Wong Wing, Lau Mau, Leung Shu-yick, Wong Mee-shun, Pau Ka-ping, Tam Kong-pak and Ip Pak-wa. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

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THE Central British School girls have set up a new and attractive fashion in the way of hockey-wear, and one which is likely to prove popular especially in Hongkong. They have abandoned the time-honoured skirt and gym tunics in shorts and shirts, the shorts being of khaki, and the shirts of a light blue with the School badge on the pocket.

NEXT WEEK'S HOCKEY

MAMAK LEAGUE & FRIENDLIES

The following are some of the principal Mamak League and friendly hockey matches for the coming week.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

OCTOBER 28.

Royal Signals v German Club, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 29.

St. Andrew's v R.A.M.C., Marina, Hongkong Police v K.I.T.C., Police Training School.

NOVEMBER 3.

Radio v Royal Engineers, Caroline Hill, H.K. Mule Corps v 12th. Battery R.A., Marina.

NOVEMBER 5.

C.B.A. v German Club, King's Park, H.K. Mule Corps v United Hockey Club, Marina.

FRIENDLIES.

OCTOBER 30.

Radio v R.A.S.C., Caroline Hill, b.o. 5 p.m.
H.K. Club 2nd XI v S.W.B. 2nd XI, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

OCTOBER 31.

S.W.B. 1st XI v Lincolns 1st XI, S.R.C., Sookumpo, b.o. 5 p.m.
Y.M.C.A. 2nd XI v S.W.B. 2nd XI, b.o. 5.15 p.m.
C.B.A. v H.K. Club, King's Park, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

NOVEMBER 1.

St. Andrew's v R.A.S.C., Sookumpo, b.o. 5 p.m.
Y.M.C.A. 2nd XI v S.W.B. 2nd XI, b.o. 5.15 p.m.
C.B.A. v Punjab Regiment, Marina.

NOVEMBER 2.

St. Andrew's v K.I.T.C., Marina, b.o. 5.15 p.m.
C.B.A. v Punjab Regiment, Marina.

NOVEMBER 3.

Radio v Royal Engineers, Caroline Hill, b.o. 4.30 p.m.
R.A.S.C. v Club de Recreio, Sookumpo, b.o. 5 p.m.

SAINTS LOSE

Friendly Hockey Match

Playing without the services of their skipper A. E. P. Guest, who is in hospital, F. V. Wong, also in hospital, and A. S. Bliss, third line in the line-up, in defence, the St. Andrew's Club were defeated by the Jats Regiment by three clear goals.

Slight rain made a greasy ball difficult to handle, and it took both sides a long time to settle down.

Even the sure-kicking Sullivan failed with three penalty shots in the first half, and for the most part it was a desperate struggle between the forwards.

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DULL

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was dull yesterday. Business done 1,220,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: The market was orderly downward, although some steadiness prevailed.

It was the dullest session for many days and tickers were actually idle at intervals. There was little incentive due to Government gold price being only 10 cents above yesterday's price and thereby ruining optimistic inflationists' hopes. Our New York Office Cable: (This morning).

Stocks: The market absorbed selling well with volume light and seems to be forming a base for an early resumption of advance. Wheat: The market eased off on smaller buying power and Liverpool action still rallied sharply from declines later. Purchases are advised on all moderate setbacks. Cotton: The market was easier on action of stocks, exchange and some increase in hedge selling. Prices will probably follow gold which is expected to be higher. Spot basis firm. Grey cloths markets improving. Silver: The market was erratic and closed firm. Outlook doubtful. Cable received at 11.45 p.m. during our Night Service "Expect, bucking and falling to-day."

Dow-Jones averages: Oct. 25 Oct. 26
20. Industrials 93.54 92.26
20. Railways 88.72 87.87
20. Utilities 24.00 24.30
20. Bonds 83.87 83.60
Alaska Jumbo 28 27
Mining Co. 28 27
Allied Chemical & Dy. 125 131 1/2
American Can 90 90
American & Foreign Power 82 83
Amer. & For. Pow. 19 18
American Metal 19 18 1/2
American Smelting 43 41 1/2
American Tel. & Tel. 118 114 1/2
American Tobacco "B" 80 79
American Water-works 21 1/2 20 1/2
Anaconda Copper 15 14 1/2
Atlas Corporation 11 11
Auburn Automobile 38 37
Baltimore & Ohio 23 22 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 30 28 1/2
Borden Company 23 23
Borden Warner 14 14 1/2
Canadian Pacific Railway 13 1/2 12 1/2
Case J.I. 68 1/2 64 1/2
Chase National Bank 19 1/2 20
Chevrolet Corporation 34 34
Chrysler Corporation 41 41
Columbia Gas & Electric 13 1/2 13 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York 12 1/2 12 1/2
Continental Oil 17 1/2 17 1/2
Corn Products 50 77 1/2
Douglas Aircraft 18 1/2 18 1/2
Du Pont du Nemours 78 77 1/2
Eastman Kodak 78
Electric Bond & Share 17 1/2 16 1/2
General Electric 19 1/2 19 1/2
General Foods 34 34
General Motors 27 27 1/2
General Railway Signal 81 81
Gold Dust 18 18
Goodrich Tire & Rubber 31 31
International Cement 20 20 1/2
International Harvester 37 37
International Nickel 10 1/2 19 1/2
International Tel. & Tel. 12 1/2 12 1/2
Johns Manville 40 40
Kenecott Copper 21 20 1/2
Lehman Corporation 05 05
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Loew's Inc. 29 28 1/2
Lord & Taylor 18 18
McIntyre Porcupine Mines Ltd. 47 40 1/2
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National City Bank 21 16 1/2
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New York Central 33 31 1/2
North American Company 18 1/2 17 1/2
Owens-Illinois Glass 76 1/2 70
Pacific Gas & Electric 19 1/2 19 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad 27 25 1/2
Phillips Petroleum 16 16
Reynolds Tobacco "B" 47 46 1/2
Sears, Roebuck & Company 38 37 1/2
Shell Union 8 1/2 7 1/2
Socorro - Vacuum Corporation 11 1/2 11 1/2
Southern California Edison 18 18
Standard Gas & Electric 10 9 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J. 42 42 1/2
Sterling Products Inc. 53 52
Studebaker Corporation 47 47
Texas Corporation 26 25 1/2
Tenn. Gulf Sulphur 37 37
Union Carbide & Carbon 41 40 1/2
Union Pacific 11 1/2 10 1/2
United Aircraft & Trans. 20 20 1/2
United Gas Im. 16 1/2 18 1/2
U.S. Rubber 15 1/2 15 1/2
U.S. Steel 41 40 1/2
Universal L. Co. & Tobacco 41 41
Westinghouse E. & M. 34 34 1/2
Woolworth 38 37 1/2

WEDDING IN ROME.

Rome, Oct. 26. Miss Marion Barton, daughter of Sir Sidney Barton, was married yesterday to Baron Falcone, secretary of the Italian Foreign Office. A reception was held after the ceremony in the British Legation to the Vatican by Sir Robert and Lady Clive.—Reuter.

"SHADOWS BY THE SEA"

(Continued from Page 3.)

"out 'ou took it, sir, didn't I?" "I wouldn't go as far as that, Jim," returned Leonard, "but, anyway, you've made a good guess, and you've done the job I set you."

On the point of departure, Jim enquired, "Avo I still gotta keep mum, sir?"

"As a door-post," nodded Leonard. "And door posts, Jim, don't say a word to anyone."

Jim smiled faintly, then jumped, as a new figure loomed near. But it was only Napoleon Truelove. It annoyed Jim, as he walked back to the hotel, to feel that he had jumped over such a trifle.

"Now, don't lam into me for belin' late," exclaimed Napoleon. "I spent ten minutes over that letter, and then I couldn't remember whether you said the Ily-pond or the rose-garden. So I went to the rose-garden—my luck's always out—and bunged into Mr. Gridle—"

"I thought he was going to his room," interposed Jessica.

"So did I," answered Napoleon. "In fact, it was rather funny. How's your headache?" I said to him, and he replied, "Written your letter?" Then we both laughed, though the Lord knows why!"

"He didn't know you'd written in letter?" asked Leonard.

"He had to believe it," retorted Napoleon, "cos I took it out of my pocket and asked if he'd come to the pillar-box with me."

Leonard smiled, and looked at Jessica. She answered his smile. Napoleon Truelove was proving himself to be quite an astute policeman, after all.

"Finish your story," said Leonard. "Did you go to the pillar-box?"

"Yes. And posted the letter. That's what made me so late. It was to myself in London. I expect we'll be redirected over here. Hello," I said in it. "How are you?" When I got it I shall reply, and tell myself how I am."

Jessie burst into a laugh, and Leonard's heart warmed to his new recruit. It was the first time he had seen Jessie laugh like that; and it made him long to see her laugh again.

For not only was Jessie's laugh a happy laugh (and all laughter is not that); but it made the hearer happy. A natural spring in her nature, temporarily clogged, had temporarily flowed again.

"But I'm still waiting to learn whether Mr. Gridle accompanied you to the letter-box," remarked Leonard.

"He did," nodded Napoleon.

"Did he see the name and address on the envelope?"

Napoleon chuckled. "There is a line in one of Henry Arthur Jones's priceless plays that runs, 'I may be an ass but I'm not a silly ass.' Well, I'm not a silly ass. Mr. Gridle didn't see the name and address, and if he suspects me it can only be because he has a nasty, suspicious nature. But look here,

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Paris	50.2/32	50.1/32
Gonova	10.50	10.27
Berlin	13.27	13.21
Helsingfors	220 1/2	220 1/2
Oslo	10.00	10.05
Athens	600	600
Milan	60.1/10	59.13/10
Buenos Aires	43 1/2	44
Shanghai	110.6/16	113.5/16
New York	110.6/16	114.74
Amsterdam	7.86	7.81 1/2
Vienna	29	29
Prague	100 1/2	100 1/2
Madrid	37 1/2	37.21/32
Bucharest	540	540
Hongkong	17 1/2	17 1/2
Brussels	22.74	22.59
Stockholm	10.30 1/2	10.30 1/2
Lisbon	105 1/4	105
Bombay	110.1/6/1	110.1/6/1
Yokohama	12 1/2	12 1/2
Montevideo	36	36
Montreal	4.85	4.83
Silvers (spot)	18 1/2	18 1/2
Wor. Loni	101 1/2	111 1/2
Silver (forward)	18 3/16	18 3/16

British Wireless.

I say! What am I doing all this for? It's time you told me, isn't it?"

Napoleon's eyes grew wide with amazement when he heard all Leonard had to tell, the last part of what he heard being related to him after Jessica Fyne had returned to the hotel. Under the pretense of coiling up the rope and putting it away in the sheath, the two men stayed out a few minutes longer, and it was during those few minutes that Leonard briefly outlined the incidents that had occurred at the wreck, and how he proposed to deal with those incidents.

"It's going to be some risk, isn't it?" queried Napoleon, when Leonard had finished. "That is, I mean—if there's anything in it at all—and those sounds weren't imagination."

"If they were imagination," responded Leonard, calmly, "then there'll be no risk."

"I'm But—you don't think they were imagination, do you?"

"I don't. But they may have been."

"And if they weren't imagination—"

"It's absolutely vital that the all too solid facts shall be dealt with. I'd rather deal with it alone."

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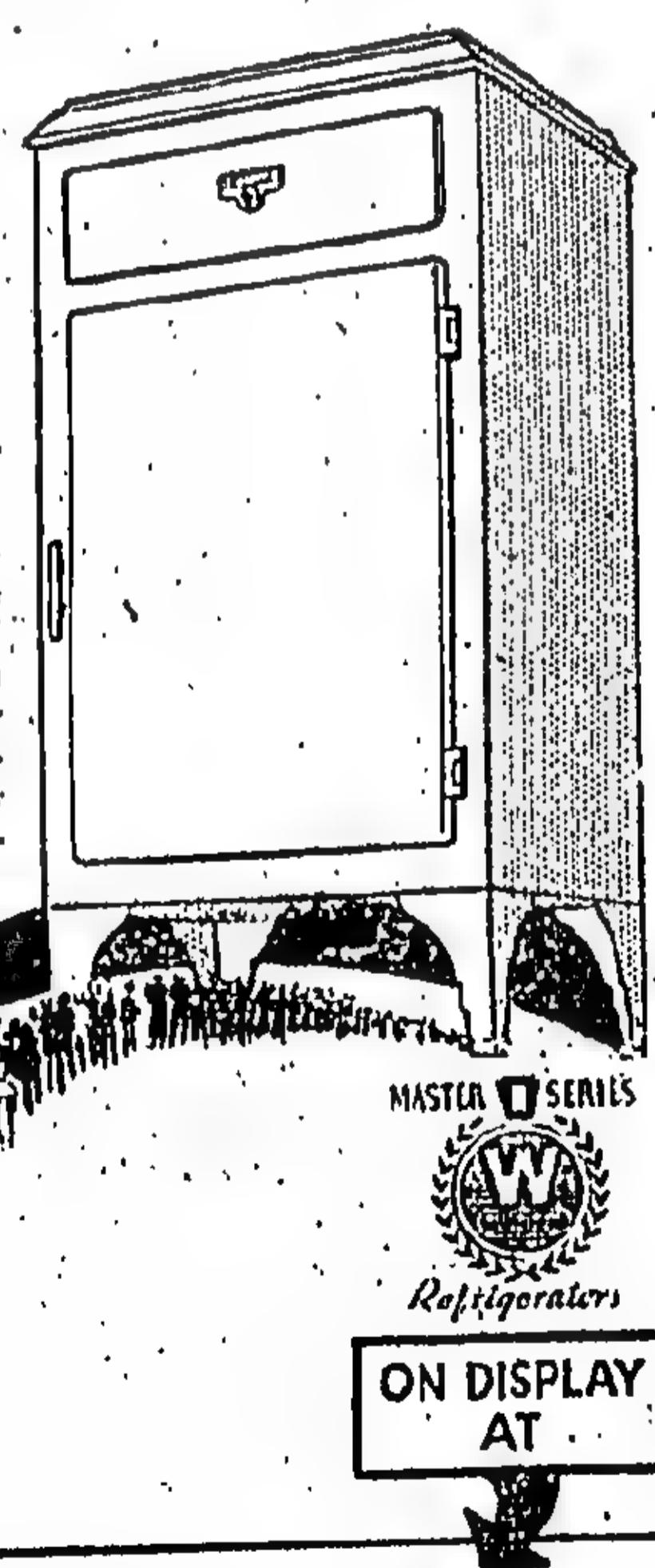
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CENTRAL BRITISH SCHOOL HOLD ANNUAL EVENT

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Following were the results:

The Results.

Event 1. Two Lengths for Girls: Section I.—1, L. de Chaffey; 2, D. Raven; 3, J. Booker.

Section II.—1, J. Holland; 2, R. Stephenson; 3, L. Hickox.

Section III.—1, J. Booker; 2, V. Fetherstonhaugh; 3, N. Booker.

Section IV.—1, H. Ingram; 2, J. Nelson; 3, D. Martin.

Event 2. Two Lengths for Boys:

Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, V. Mackenzie; 3, A. Mackenzie.

Section II.—1, O. Blitzer; 2, L. Millington; 3, Fowler.

Section III.—1, Clarke; 2, Neville; 3, N. Booker.

Section IV.—1, Low; 2, Houghton; 3, J. Mitchell.

Section V.—1, Farmer; 2, Rousenau; 3, Rolland.

Section VI.—1, Noville; 2, Floyd; 3, B. Askar.

Section VII.—1, R. Hall; 2, Gray; 3, R. Labrum.

Event 3. Girls' Plunge:

Section I.—1, V. Raven; 2, E. Rousseau; 3, L. de Chaffey.

Section II.—1, M. McCaw; 2, V. Fetherstonhaugh; 3, J. Fraser.

Section III.—1, P. Baxter; 2, H. Ingram; 3, D. McCaw.

Event 4. Boys' Plunge:

Section I.—1, B. Hynes; 2, J. Sharpham; 3, A. Mackenzie.

Section II.—1, H. Clarke; 2, N. Booker; 3, S. Millington.

Section III.—1, C. Hoagood; 2, J. Rousseau; 3, J. Wald.

Section IV.—1, V. Gaubert; 2, R. Labrum; 3, M. James.

Event 5. Girls' Backstroke:

Section I.—1, Two Lengths—1, J. Holland; 2, L. de Chaffey; 3, L. Hickox.

Section II.—1, Two Lengths—1, J. Booker; 2, M. McCaw; 3, E. Martin.

Section III.—1, One Length—1, H. Martin; 2, J. Brown; 3, J. Rousseau.

Event 6. Boys' Backstroke:

Section I.—1, Two Lengths—1, M. Millington; 2, Blitzer; 3, Sharpham.

Section II.—1, Two Lengths—1, J. Pryde; 2, Clarke; 3, Arnold.

Section III.—1, Two Lengths—1, Kelvin; 2, Bunje; 3, N. Brown.

Section IV.—1, One Length—1, Lodge; 2, V. Millington; 3, Wright.

Section V.—1, One Length—1, Floyd; 2, Holliday; 3, Asher.

Section VI.—1, One Length—1, D. Gray; 2, R. de Rome; 3, Bishop.

Event 7. Neat Diving, Girls—1, L. Hickox; 2, L. de Chaffey; 3, J. Lakeman.

Event 8. Neat Diving, Boys:

Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, H. Ingram; 3, R. Blitzer.

Section II.—1, N. Booker; 2, H. Clarke; 3, M. Houghton.

Section III.—1, N. Walker; 2, E. Kinnard; 3, G. Low.

Section IV.—1, W. Pryde; 2, L. Norris; 3, R. Hall.

Event 9. 100 Yards, Boys:

Section I.—1, J. Sharpham; 2, MacKenzie; 3, Millington.

Section II.—Clarke and Booker tied; 3, Proven.

Event 10. Leap Frog for Girls:

Section I.—1, L. de Chaffey and D. Raven; 2, J. Noland and R. Stephenson; 3, G. Booker and L. Hickox.

Section II.—1, J. Booker and M. Booker; 2, Y. Martin and A. Dedeau; 3, H. Martin and H. Ingram.

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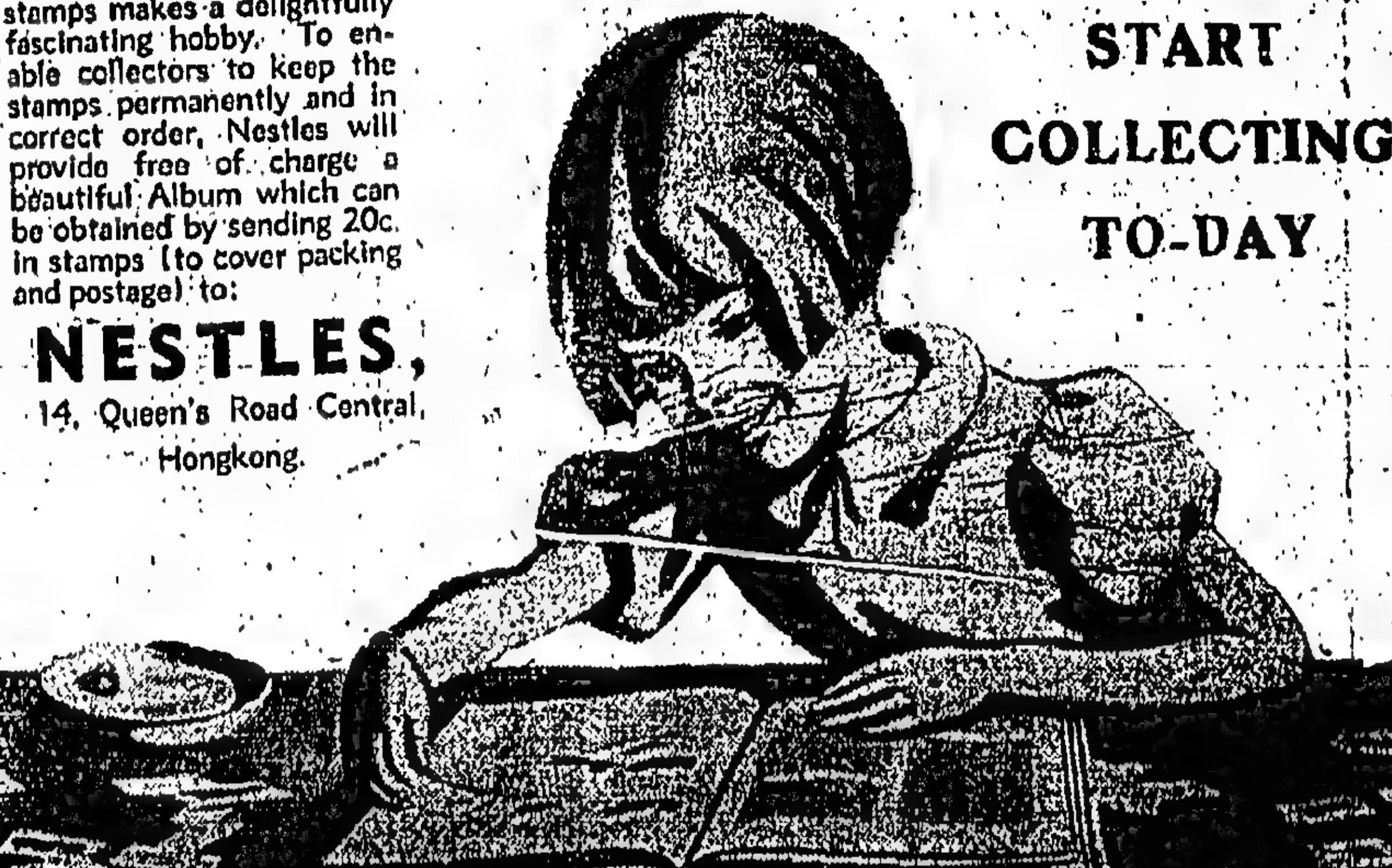
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HEAVY SENTENCE FOR BAD RECORD.

Man Pleads He Stole to Help Sick Child

"In view of your record, we both feel it would be a mistake to give you a short sentence, and therefore give you two years hard labour" remarked Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when sitting with Mr. Balfour, he heard a case against Wong Chung, an unemployed, charged with having snatched a purse containing \$12 from Tang Kwan, a folk, at the Tai Ping Junk Wharf.

Inspector Hourihan said that about 11 a.m. yesterday complainant was standing near the wharf, when he felt his purse being removed. He turned round and saw accused, who ran up the stairway of a house near the wharf. A police officer responded to complainant's shouts, and followed accused up the stairway. After a severe struggle, in which accused broke away several times, he arrested him. The purse had been thrown on the stairway, and was recovered.

Accused said that his child was sick, and he had no work. Twelve previous convictions were admitted by him nine of which were for larceny. The last conviction was three years ago.

Mr. Schofield asked the Inspector to bring the case of the defendant's child to the notice of the Society for the Protection of Children.

ANOTHER CASE.

Tsui Fuk-cheung, an unemployed, was sentenced by Mr. Schofield to six months hard labour for having snatched a handbag containing \$6.80 from Chan Sam-mul, a woman, at Johnston Road.

Sub-Inspector Nolloth said that complainant and her friend were walking arm in arm in Johnston Road when defendant came up from behind and snatched the bag from under her left arm.

EXPERT VIEW OF REICHSTAG FIRE

Van der Lubbe Could Not Have Been Alone

Berlin, Oct. 23.

"It was absolutely out of the question for Van Der Lubbe to have set fire to the Reichstag alone." This was the considered opinion of Professor Josse, who gave evidence in the Reichstag fire trial to-day.

Professor Josse, who is an expert on such matters and who gave evidence as such, declared that at least 40 lb. of liquid must have been used to fire the Reichstag hall alone. He said that Van Der Lubbe had insufficient time to set it alight and that it needed two or more persons.

The Professor believed that the fire started in the stenographer's room and he advanced the theory that the extraordinary rapid spread of the flames could only be explained if material soaked in petrol had been scattered about. He declared that firelighters, as alleged to have been used by Lubbe, were insufficient.—Reuter.

CLEAN PREMISES.

REGULATION OF SANITARY BOARD APPROVED

Formal approval of the Sanitary Board's regulation dealing with the cleanliness of food preserving establishments was granted by the Legislative Council at yesterday's meeting.

The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. G. Alabaster) in moving that the necessary approval be granted said: "Sir, I rise to move 'That the By-law made by the Sanitary Board under section 10 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, on the 13th day of October 1933, be adopted.' Under section 17 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1903 the By-laws made by the Board under section 16 require the approval of this Council. Condition (2) of By-law 4 of the Food-preserving establishments By-laws insisted on the maintenance of cleanliness of apparatus, utensils and machinery used but made no reference to the necessity for cleanliness in the premises in which they were used. The amendment will remedy that defect."

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the resolution was agreed to.

THE DRUG OF DICTATORSHIPS

MR. THOMAS'S BROADCAST

A warm criticism of dictatorships was made by the Secretary of State for the Dominions during a broadcast address to-night upon the Empire in world politics.

Mr. J. H. Thomas said: "The cause of peaceful co-operation between nations has just received a strong blow. It is not a knock-out blow. The world can and will recover from it.

But how can we help towards this recovery? World-wide co-operation is, for the moment, in great difficulties. But there is in the world a group of nations and peoples, the British Empire, covering between them more than a quarter of the earth's surface and including nearly a quarter of the human race in which co-operation has not only not failed but is living and growing.

FOREIGN POLICY.
Relations between other nations and peoples are based fundamentally on a desire to avoid war.

It is to that end that almost the whole of their foreign policy is directed.

It was with that object that the League of Nations was created. The acts of their Governments are wise or foolish as they diminish or increase the dangers of war.

The Governments of the British Empire, on the contrary, start from the assumption that war between them is inconceivable. We begin where the others leave off.

POSITIVE ENDS.
We can direct our energy to the positive end of achieving good and not merely to the negative end of avoiding evil. And as a result we can afford, not merely in our relations with one another, but in our relations with the rest of the world to seek other than purely selfish ends.

The real origin of this positive co-operation is an inherent love of personal liberty and self-government in the races which make up the Empire.

It is no mere chance that at a time when Democratic Government is rapidly disappearing elsewhere, within British Empire it was never firmly rooted than it is to-day.

DRUGGED NATIONS.

Dictatorships necessarily look inwards. A nation which has yielded up its liberty must be kept drugged lest it rebel and the easiest drug of all to administer is a strong dose of selfish national conceit. Democracy labours under no such necessity." Mr. Thomas expressed the belief that imperial co-operation was the explanation of the fact that, relatively to the rest of the world, the British Commonwealth had suffered less during the world economic crisis than had other nations.

WORST OVER.
There were real and hopeful signs that the worst was past and nowhere were those signs more numerous than in the British Empire. He cited the improvement in employment and in trade which have taken place in Britain and the Dominions and referred to the extension of the principle of co-operation in the cases of the recent wheat agreement and the declaration of Monetary and Economic Policy.

He believed that these would lead to other and similar measures by which the hopeless lack of co-operation between the producer and the consumer which more than any other factor had brought the world to the verge of ruin might be regulated and controlled.

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WOMEN TO AID LOYALISTS IN SIAM REBELLION

CANTON-SHANGHAI AIR MAIL

STORM COMPELS PLANE TO LAND AT FOOCHOW

Shanghai, Oct. 26.
The Sikorsky amphibian plane, Canton, inaugurating the Canton-Shanghai air mail service, encountered a heavy storm on her northward flight this morning and was compelled to land at Foochow.

The plane will resume its flight from Foochow to-morrow morning, arriving here about noon.—Reuter.

The new service is being conducted by Pacific-American Airways, a subsidiary of the famous Pan-American Airways Company. Survey flights were made by Mr. H. M. Bixby, vice-president of the company.

Later, when certain conditions are fulfilled, the service will be extended to Hongkong and Manly.

No passengers, it is understood, were carried on yesterday's flight, as it was not the intention of the company to carry anything but mail for the first 30 days.

HONGKONG LETTERS.

May Be Sent By Air Mail To Shanghai.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters may be posted from Hongkong for despatch to Shanghai by the new China National Airway Service from Canton, stated local postal officials, when interviewed by a Press representative yesterday.

In order to connect with the air service from Canton, letters must be posted in Hongkong before 7 a.m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

In addition to the ordinary postage rates from Hongkong to Canton, ordinary postage rates from Canton to Shanghai, plus 50 cents for each third of an ounce, must be added.

No special air mail bags are being made up in Hongkong. Letters posted in the Colony will be forwarded to Canton for inclusion in the Canton bags. Letters may be posted to Switow as well as Canton.

The air mail leaves Canton every Wednesday and Saturday at 2.30 p.m., arriving at Shanghai at approximately 11 a.m. on Thursdays and Sundays. On the return trip the planes leave Shanghai on Tuesdays and Fridays at 6 a.m., arriving at Canton at 5 p.m. on the same days.

LOCAL FORESHORES.

DRAFT ORDINANCE NOT PROCEEDED WITH

It was announced yesterday that the Government are not prepared to proceed with the draft Bill of the Foreshore and Seabed Ordinance at the present time.

The Hongkong Foreshore and Sea Bed Works Ordinance met with local opposition on the question of private rights, compensation and the power of the authorities to override private rights.

The draft Bill, together with a letter of protest from the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce, was considered by the Home authorities, and on July 10 the matter was ventilated by question in the House of Commons.

The Ordinance was sent Home in May.

The Colonial Secretary's Office stated at the time that the chief purpose of the ordinance was to permit the Government to resume marine land for public purposes without being compelled to promote a special Bill for each project.

MARRIAGE FESTIVAL.

LOW BIRTH RATE ALARMS MUSSOLINI

Rome, Oct. 26.
Alarmed at the continued decline in the Italian birth rate, the Fascist Party has organised a Festival of Marriage to be held on October 30, when 2,000 couples will be married in Rome and its neighbourhood.

Following the ceremony, the couples will attend Mass and will then march in procession through the streets of Rome to Fascist headquarters, where each couple will receive a present from Signor Mussolini.

A mass baptism of babies will also take place at St. Peter's Church, where Mussolini has promised to present each infant with a complete outfit.—Reuter.

FRESH CAPITAL.

TELEPHONE COMPANY'S APPLICATION

The Legislative Council at yesterday's meeting granted permission to the Hongkong Telephone Company, Limited, to increase its capital by \$2,500,000 to cope with development anticipated during the next few years.

In moving the resolution, the Colonial Treasurer (Hon. Mr. M. J. Breen) said: "The object of the Resolutions standing on the table is to provide further necessary capital for the Telephone Company to enable it to cope with the development anticipated during the next few years. Such extensions etc., under Section 33 of the Telephone Company's Ordinance of 1925, obligatory.

In 1925, when the Company obtained its franchise its capital was limited to \$5,000,000, the whole of which has now been expended and utilised in modernising and extending the system. The Company is now compelled to seek fresh capital to finance further extensions in hand or otherwise.

Under the franchise which imposes certain conditions upon the Company's management, profits are controlled and limited, and similarly an increase of capital requires the consent of this Council. This increase, if granted, will involve a corresponding adjustment of the Company's Reserve Fund so that the annual figure set aside for that purpose will suffice during the residual portion of the franchise, to amortise its termination the subscribed capital. This will necessitate a corresponding amendment, in due course, of Section 33 Subsection (3) of the Ordinance.

Hon. Members will observe that the fresh capital will only be called up on and when required.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

I move, therefore, that the two resolutions be taken together:—

(A.) That this Council, in exercise of its powers under section 6 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1925, consents to the authorised capital of the Hongkong Telephone Company, Limited, being increased from its present capital of \$5,000,000 divided into 100,000 shares of \$10 each, to \$7,500,000 divided into 750,000 shares of \$10 each.

(B.) That this Council consents to the proposal of the said Company to give the share-holders an option of subscribing to the new issue of capital at a ratio of one new share for every two existing shares held by them; and to the further proposal of the said Company to make such new issue of capital on the payment of \$2.50 per share in the first instance leaving the balance to be called up from time to time as may be required.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and both resolutions were agreed to without comment.

STREET SLEEPERS.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED FOR THE SHELTER

A number of volunteers is required to do duty at the Street Sleepers Shelter when it is opened in December. The duties consist of care of register, collecting cash and general supervision.

Any who are willing to take on this voluntary work are asked to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, Miss R. Mow Fung, c/o Messrs. Gilman & Co., Ltd.

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YARN PRICES CUT.

JAPANESE INVADING EUROPEAN MARKET

Manchester, Oct. 26.
Egyptian yarn spinners are perturbed by reports stating that Japanese fine yarns are appearing in European continental markets at prices 30 to 40 per cent below the cost of similar yarns produced in Lancashire.

The quality and strength of the Japanese yarns is reported to be inferior to the Lancashire product; but represent an improvement on previous Japanese production.

Such is their rapid advance in the textile industry, that the Japanese will soon be serious world market competitors with Egyptian yarns, as they are at present in American yarns.—Reuter.

FIGHTING EXTENDS

IMMEDIATE MENACE TO BANGKOK GONE

PREMIER'S WIFE MAKES OFFER

Bangkok, Oct. 26.

Fighting between Government forces and the insurgents under Prince Bovaradej appears to be extending in scale and preparations are being made for what may prove to be a long campaign.

Counsel For Accused.

Mr. D'Almada, in addressing the jury, said it was significant that the prosecution had altered their indictment against prisoner, the charges laid against him at the Taipu magistrate being that of murdering "with others not in custody" and of wounding Chan Shing with Pang Nga-shing.

Whilst not suggesting that Chan Shing had falsified his evidence, the jury had no right to accept such evidence, given in the manner it was, and he would also ask them to reject the testimony of the girl, his daughter. She had been the Crown's "star" witness until that day; but examination of Detective Inspector Chester-Woods revealed that on the day after the murder she made no accusation against prisoner and it was not until several days had elapsed that "her imagination had had time to work" that she made statements against him.

There have been rumours again that the King of Siam had fled, but it is officially stated that he is still in residence at Singora.—Reuter.

DAILY MAIL REPORT.

The London "Daily Mail" correspondent reported on Monday that King Prajadhipok and Queen Rambabu of Siam had fled in the face of the growing revolt against the present Communally-inclined regime.

Although there were over a dozen other inhabitants of mat-sheds on the band the Crown had not been able to produce any more witnesses other than Au So who had merely said he saw a man, apparently Pang, on the band.

It was a point in prisoner's favour that he made no attempt to leave the vicinity of the crime and when he was arrested he possessed no booty although the deceased

MURDER TRIAL

COOLIE ACQUITTED ON MAJOR CHARGE

A murderous choppy attack on a sleeping man and woman in a sampan at Sha Po on the night of August 6, and the death of the latter from numerous head injuries, were the subject of the charge of murder brought against Fok Kan, alias Tau Pei-lo, at the Criminal Sessions.

After a trial lasting two days, before the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, accused was acquitted.

Mr. Leo D'Almada defended and was instructed by Mr. H. A. de Barros Botholo, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Crown.

Counsel For Accused.

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**CONTRACT
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By W. E. McKenney

Today's Contract Problem
IN the following hand, East and West each have 100 honors. South is the dealer. How should the bidding proceed to arrive at the proper contract?

North: ♦ A ♦ 8 ♦ 5 ♦ 4 ♦
♦ K ♦ 8 ♦ 3 ♦ 2 ♦
East: ♦ A ♦ 8 ♦ 2 ♦ 1 ♦
♦ 5 ♦ K ♦ Q ♦ J ♦ 10 ♦ 9 ♦
South: ♦ 7 ♦ ♦ K ♦ 9 ♦ 8 ♦ 5 ♦ 4 ♦
♦ Q ♦ J ♦ 7 ♦ 6 ♦
West: ♦ A ♦ K ♦ J ♦ 10 ♦ 9 ♦ 8 ♦ 2 ♦
♦ A ♦ 10 ♦ 9 ♦ 8 ♦ 7 ♦ 6 ♦ 5 ♦
Solution in next issue. 3

Solution to Previous Contract Problem

Although four spades was bid in the preceding problem hand, five was made by a neat triple squeeze. In duplicate tournament play an extra trick beyond contract is what counts in the final scoring. Such play is what produces the winner.

The Bidding

South bid one spade, West passed and North bid no trump. South went to three spades, North bid three no trump and South went to four spades. This definitely said, "Partner, I prefer to play the hand at spades and do not believe there is any slam in it."

The Play

Against the spade contract West opened a small club which East won with the jack. East returned the six of spades and declarer allowed dummy's jack to win the trick. A small club was returned and when East played low the declarer trumped and then led two more rounds of spades, picking up the outstanding trump and discarding a small heart from dummy. East discarded a heart and a diamond.

Declarer's next play was a small heart and dummy's king was won by East with the ace. If East returns a diamond, the contract can be held to four odd. However, it looked to East as though his natural return was a small heart which South won with the queen.

South now started to play his spades. On the queen of spades West dropped a club, declarer discarded a small diamond from dummy, and East played a heart. On the seven of spades West played the queen of clubs, dummy the six of clubs and East the nine of clubs.

On the last spade both sides were squeezed. West could not let go his jack of hearts or dummy's nine would be good, so he

♦ J 8
♦ K 9 5 3
♦ A 9 7
♦ K 6 5 3
♦ 10 9 4
♦ J 10 8
♦ J 6 3
♦ Q 10 8 4
♦ 9 8 7 3
W E H A J 9 7
N Q 10 8 5
H A J 9 7
♦ A K Q 7 6 5 3 2
♦ Q 4
♦ K 4 2
♦ 2

let go a diamond. Declarer then discarded the nine of hearts from dummy and East was squeezed. If he let go his ace of clubs, dummy's king was good, while if he discarded a diamond, declarer would win the last three tricks with diamonds.

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Twenty years have elapsed since the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, the leading Chinese commercial institution of Hongkong, was formed with the assistance of the late Mr. Lau Chu-pak and other prominent merchants. The 20th anniversary will be celebrated this year on November 22 by a reception and other functions. It was announced at the monthly meeting of the Chamber held yesterday afternoon.

In Hongkong the Chamber has performed numerous important duties for the Chinese, even those outside the commercial community. To mention some of the Chamber's valuable work, apart from the supply of commercial information and settlement of trade disputes, it is a well-known fact that the Chamber has from time to time contributed substantial funds to flood and other famines in China, has helped in relief work following the Shanghai disturbances in 1927, and maintains a public library, which is visited daily and nightly by over 200 Chinese, mostly members of the poorer classes; who otherwise could not have secured a better reading room and the latest reading material, in a central location.

The chairman of the Chamber also took a keen interest in the welfare of street hawkers some years ago.

At the meeting yesterday a sub-committee was formed to supervise preparations for the anniversary celebration, consisting of Messrs. Ma Ying-piu, Choy Cheong, Kwok Chuen, Chan Hor, Kwok, Yau-ling, Wong Chung-chin, Mok Lin, Lo Koon-man, Chong Sing-chung and Li Shin-ying.

Stating that he believed defendant's story the Pui-ano Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindslal, gave judgment for defendant accordingly.

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WOMAN REPEATS ACT BUT IS CAUGHT

"The defendant specializes in this kind of theft, and was convicted for a similar offence under exactly the same circumstances in January, last," remarked Sub-Inspector Nolloth when prosecuting Leung Lin, a widow for the larceny of a handbag containing a powder box and a pocket knife, the property of Cneung Wai-fan, a married woman, at 205, Johnston Road.

Mr. Schofield sentenced defendant to six weeks hard labour, and an additional one month for having broken her bond, the sentences to run consecutively.

Sub-Inspector Nolloth said that yesterday morning defendant went to complainant's house at 205, Johnston Road, on the pretence that she wanted to rent a cubicle. She saw the principal tenant, and was allowed to look round. When opposite complainant's cubicle, the child she was carrying, acting on her instruction, dropped some money and defendant, on the pretence of picking it up, walked into the cubicle and took the bag. She then said she was not satisfied with the cubicle and walked out.

The complainant did not suspect anything for the moment, but two minutes later when she went into cubicle to get a cigarette, she found the bag missing. She ran down the stairs and caught defendant, who denied the theft. Complainant then took her to the No. 2, Police Station. She still denied the theft, but when searched, the powder box was found in the umbrella she was carrying. She then admitted the offence and said she had thrown the bag on the stairway of 205, Johnston Road. The police later found a school teacher had recovered the bag.

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A MONTH'S RESPITE

DISARMAMENT PARLEY ADJOURS

BRITAIN URGES ACTION

London, Oct. 26. The General Commission of the Disarmament Conference decided at Geneva to-day to adjourn until December 4.

In putting forward a proposal to this effect, the Chairman, Mr. Arthur Henderson, emphasised that the Conference must continue its work to arrive at a convention founded on the British draft, which would satisfy public opinion.

If the Conference failed it would be a disaster for the whole world.

He recalled that the Bureau favoured an adjournment until December 4 in order to give time to smooth out the existing divergencies of opinion.

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SOVIET'S TRADE WITH BRITAIN

EFFECT OF RECOGNITION BY U.S.A.

London, Oct. 23. Speculation is rife in industrial circles in London regarding the probable effect of the rapprochement between Soviet Russia and the United States on trade between Britain and Russia.

Russia has been importing considerable quantities of goods from England, particularly machinery and rubber.

It is pointed out that Germany's exports to Russia have fallen considerably in the last year or two. In 1931 these amounted to 481,000,000 roubles. In 1932 to only 324,000,000 roubles and for the first half of 1933 to under 99,000,000 roubles.

Russians in London point out that Britain's denunciation of the Anglo-Russian trade agreement last April has been the chief obstacle to her trade with Russia but they say that when a new agreement is concluded Britain's proximity and the lower labour costs compared with those prevailing in the United States should give her a fair share of the Soviet's purchases.

Washington experts are said to calculate that future American sales to Russia should be at least \$70,000,000 a year.

Russia's debt to the United States is conservatively estimated at \$100,000,000.

No loan issues between Russia and America are generally expected although Russia recently was seeking credits in America for about \$80,000,000 for purchases of machinery. — Reuter.

Mr. Henderson's proposal. It remains for the Bureau to draw up a programme of work to be followed during the General Commission's adjournment. — British Wireless.

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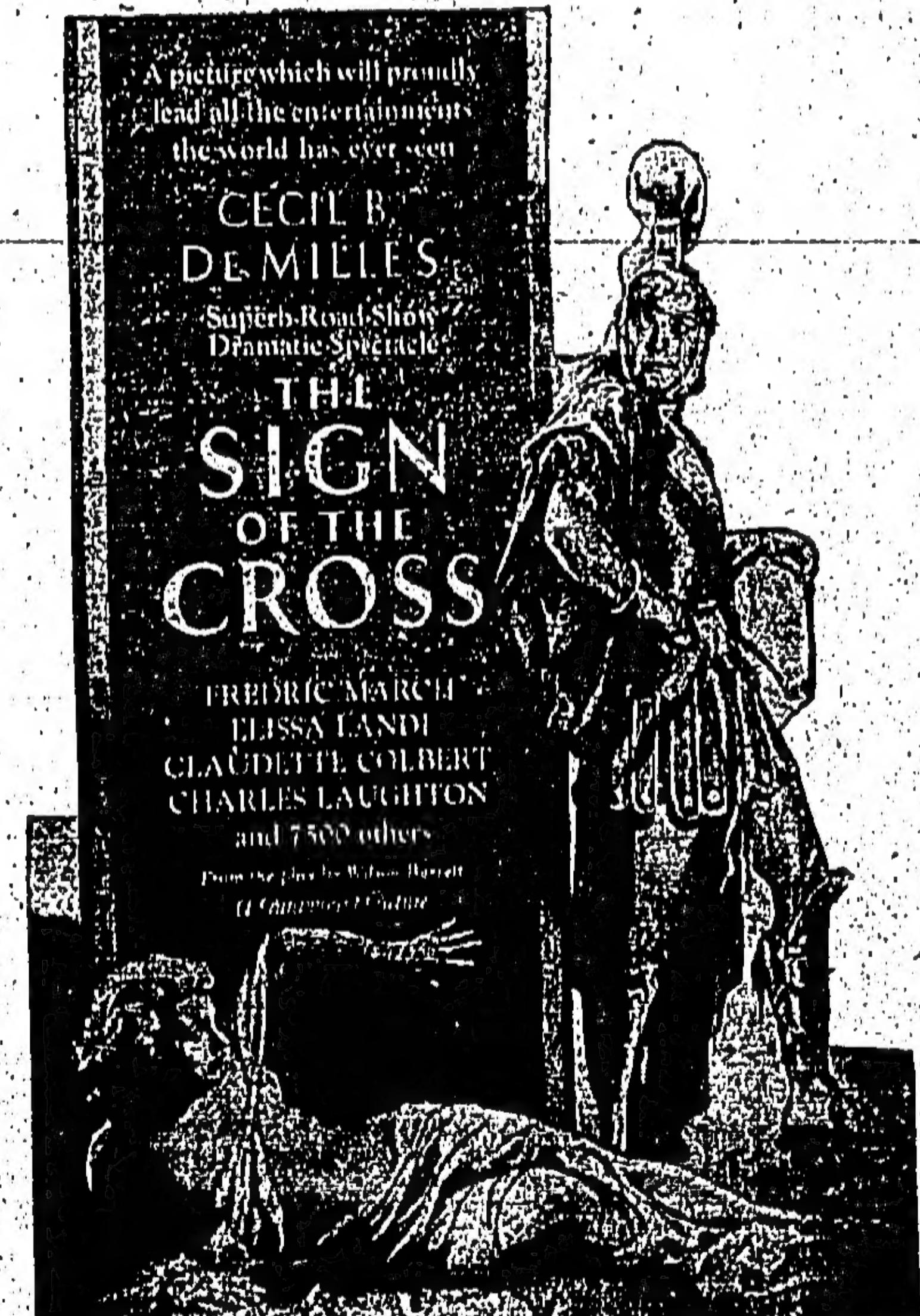
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